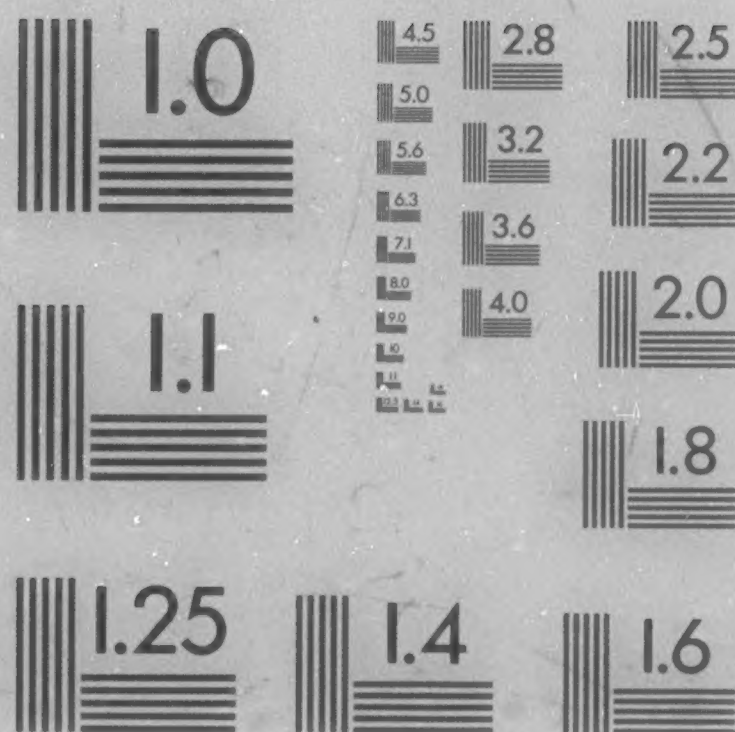
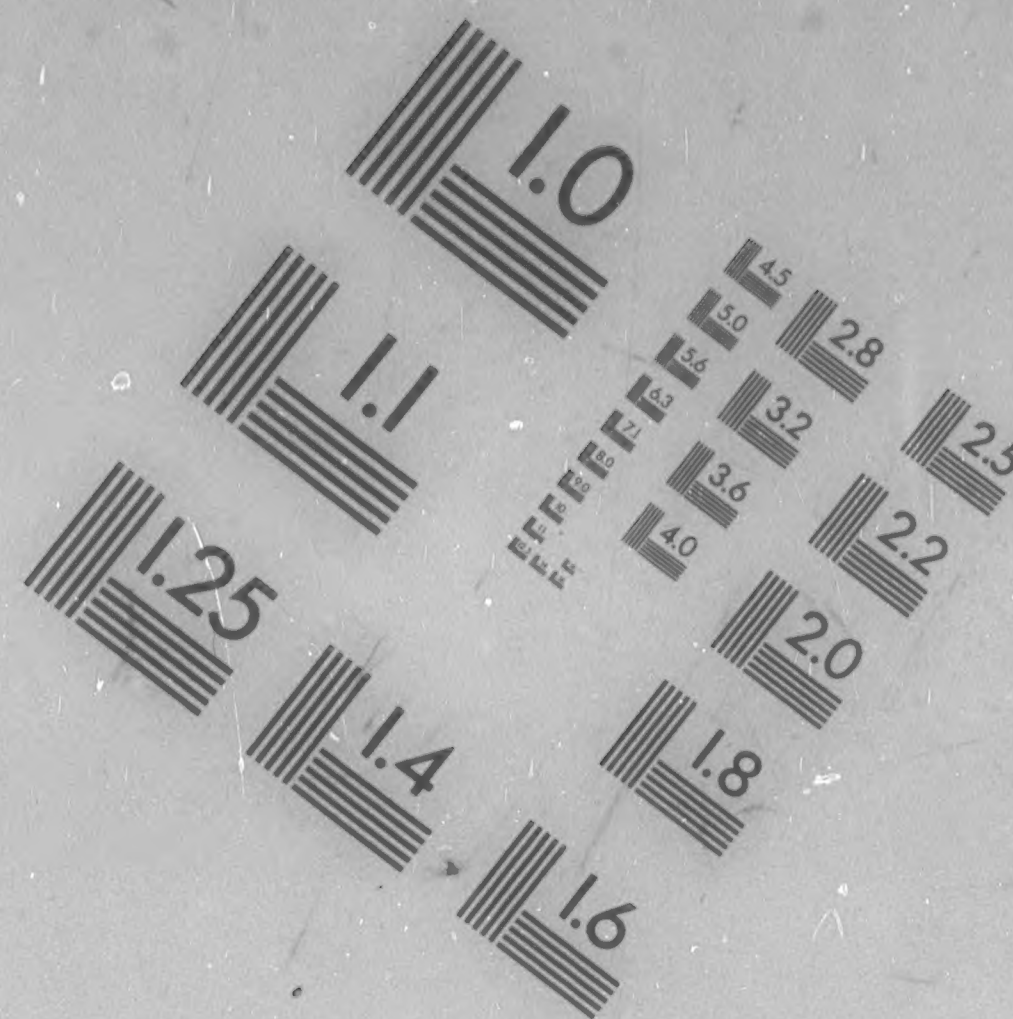


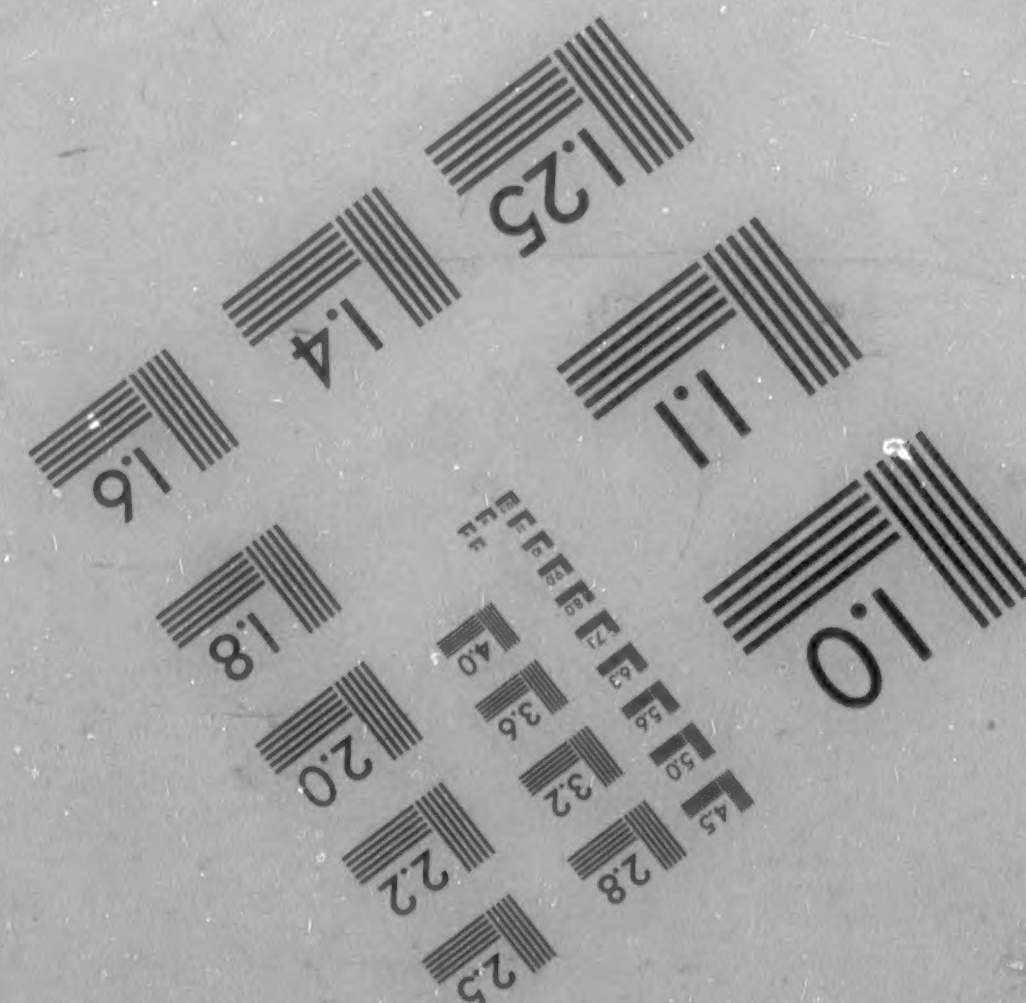
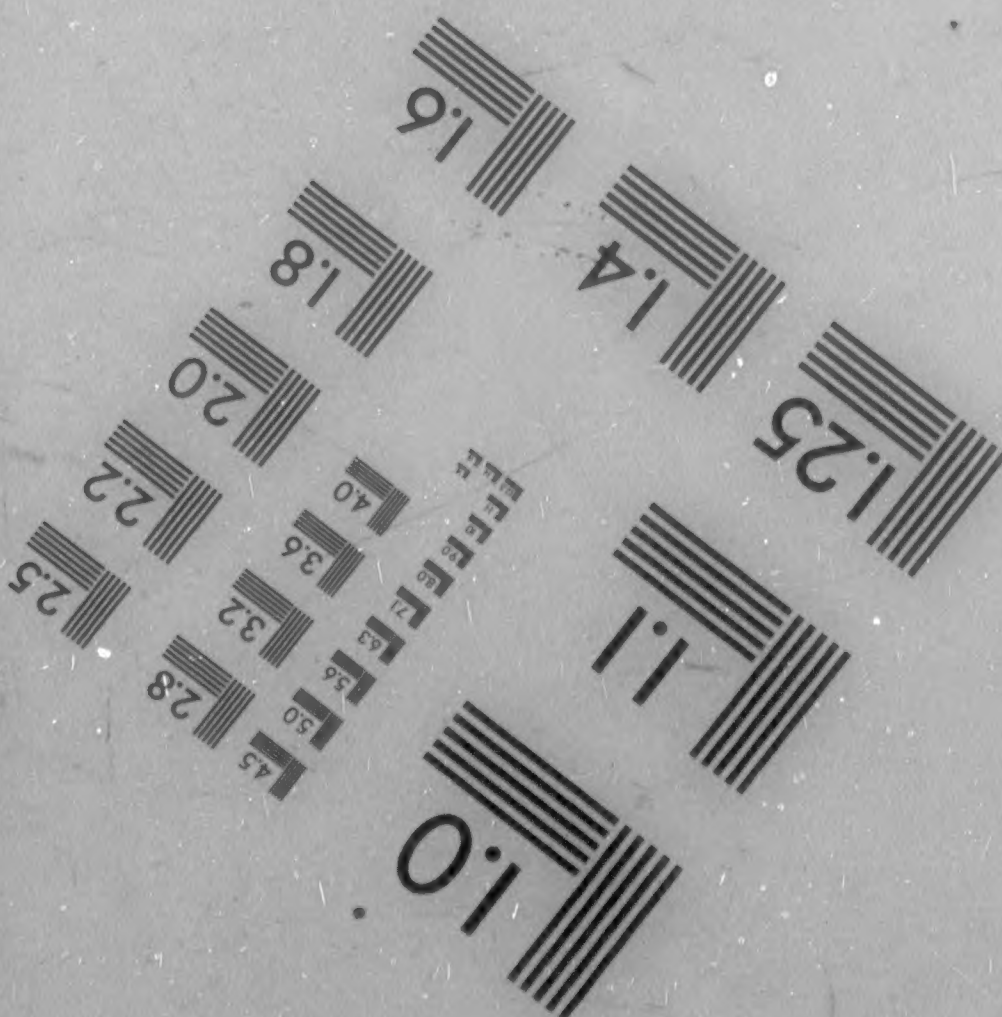


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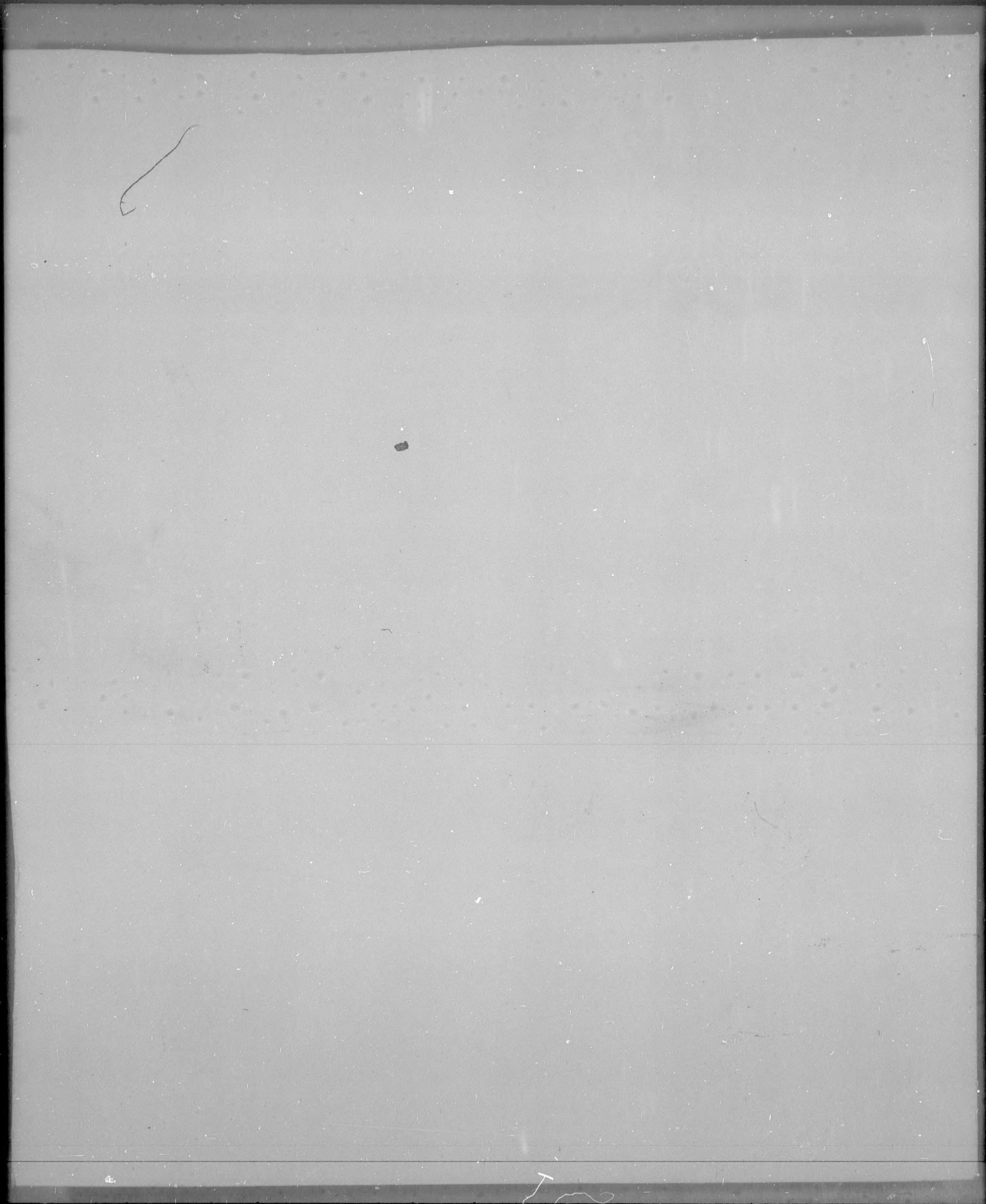


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INTRODUCTION

On the 133 rolls of this microfilm publication, M1904, are reproduced the records of the Kentucky headquarters for the Assistant Commissioner and his staff officers and the subordinate field offices of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1865-1872. These records consist of bound volumes and unbound records, containing materials that include letters sent and received, monthly reports, registers of complaints, labor contracts, and other records relating to freedmen's claims and bounty payments. These records are part of the Records of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, Record Group (RG) 105.

HISTORY AND ORGANIZATION

The Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, also known as the Freedmen's Bureau, was established in the War Department by an act of Congress on March 3, 1865 (13 Stat. 507). The life of the Bureau was extended twice by acts of July 16, 1866 (14 Stat. 173), and July 6, 1868 (15 Stat. 83). The Bureau was responsible for the supervision and management of all matters relating to refugees and freedmen, and of lands abandoned or seized during the Civil War. In May 1865, President Andrew Johnson appointed Maj. Gen. Oliver Otis Howard as Commissioner of the Bureau, and Howard served in that position until June 30, 1872, when activities of the Bureau were terminated in accordance with an act of June 10, 1872 (17 Stat. 366). While a major part of the Bureau's early activities involved the supervision of abandoned and confiscated property, its mission was to provide relief and help freedmen become self-sufficient. Bureau officials issued rations and clothing, operated hospitals and refugee camps, and supervised labor contracts. In addition, the Bureau managed apprenticeship disputes and complaints, assisted benevolent societies in the establishment of schools, helped freedmen in legalizing marriages entered into during slavery, and provided transportation to refugees and freedmen who were attempting to reunite with their family or relocate to other parts of the country. The Bureau also helped black soldiers, sailors, and their heirs collect bounty claims, pensions, and back pay.

The act of March 3, 1865, authorized the appointment of Assistant Commissioners to aid the Commissioner in supervising the work of the Bureau in the former Confederate states, the border states, and the District of Columbia. While the work performed by Assistant Commissioners in each state was similar, the organizational structure of staff officers varied from state to state. At various times, the staff could consist of a superintendent of education, an assistant adjutant general, an assistant inspector general, a disbursing officer, a chief medical officer, a chief quartermaster, and a commissary of subsistence. Subordinate to these officers were the assistant superintendents, or subassistant commissioners as they later became known, who commanded the subdistricts.

The Assistant Commissioner corresponded extensively with both his superior in the

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Washington Bureau headquarters and his subordinate officers in the subdistricts. Based upon reports submitted to him by the subassistant commissioners and other subordinate staff officers, he prepared reports that he sent to the Commissioner concerning Bureau activities in areas under his jurisdiction. The Assistant Commissioner also received letters from freedmen, local white citizens, state officials, and other non-Bureau personnel. These letters varied in nature from complaints to applications for jobs in the Bureau. Because the assistant adjutant general handled much of the mail for the Assistant Commissioner's office, it was often addressed to him instead of to the Assistant Commissioner.

In a circular issued by Commissioner Howard in July 1865, the Assistant Commissioners were instructed to designate one officer in each state to serve as "general Superintendents of Schools." These officials were to "take cognizance of all that is being done to educate refugees and freedmen, secure proper protection to schools and teachers, promote method and efficiency, correspond with the benevolent agencies which are supplying his field, and aid the Assistant Commissioner in making his required reports." In October 1865, a degree of centralized control was established over Bureau educational activities in the states when Rev. John W. Alvord was appointed Inspector of Finances and Schools. In January 1867, Alvord was divested of his financial responsibilities, and he was appointed General Superintendent of Education.

An act of Congress, approved July 25, 1868 (15 Stat. 193), ordered that the Commissioner of the Bureau "shall, on the first day of January next, cause the said bureau to be withdrawn from the several States within which said bureau has acted and its operation shall be discontinued." Consequently, in early 1869, with the exception of the superintendents of education and the claims agents, the Assistant Commissioners and their subordinate officers were withdrawn from the states.

For the next year and a half the Bureau continued to pursue its education work and to process claims. In the summer of 1870, the superintendents of education were withdrawn from the states, and the headquarters staff was greatly reduced. From that time until the Bureau was abolished by an act of Congress approved June 10, 1872 (17 Stat. 366), effective June 30, 1872, the Bureau's functions related almost exclusively to the disposition of claims. The Bureau's records and remaining functions were then transferred to the Freedmen's Branch in the office of the Adjutant General. The records of this branch are among the Bureau's files.

THE FREEDMEN'S BUREAU IN KENTUCKY

ORGANIZATION

From July 1865 until June 1866, Maj. Gen. C. B. Fisk served as Assistant Commissioner for both Kentucky and Tennessee. Fisk appointed Bvt. Brig. Gen. John Ely to serve as chief superintendent for the Bureau at Kentucky (from March to June 1866). Ely established his headquarters at Louisville, Kentucky, and divided

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his operations into five subdistricts: Lexington, Louisville, Northwestern, Southern, and Central. Records relating to Kentucky created prior to Ely's tenure may be included among the files of the Assistant Commissioner for Tennessee.

In June 1866, Maj. Gen. Jeff C. Davis was appointed as the first Assistant Commissioner for Kentucky. Superintendents (or subassistant commissioners) employed under Davis were generally responsible for from 3 to 11 counties, and agents (civilian and military) from 1 to 3 counties. Agents received their orders directly from superintendents, and all superintendents were required to submit monthly reports of their activities to the Assistant Commissioner. Brig. Gen. Sidney Burbank succeeded Davis in March 1867 and was replaced by Maj. Benjamin Runkle, who served from January 1869 to May 1869 as Assistant Commissioner and superintendent of education. In August 1870, when superintendents of education were withdrawn from the states, Runkle served as claims agent for Kentucky until July 1871. H. H. Ray succeeded Runkle as claims agent, and served in this capacity until December 1871. P. J. Overley became the claims agent in January 1872 and remained in this position until the Bureau's operations in Kentucky were discontinued in April. The major subordinate field offices for the Bureau at Kentucky included those with headquarters at Bowling Green, Lebanon, Lexington, Louisville, and Paducah. For a list of known Kentucky subordinate field office personnel and their dates of service, see the Appendix.

ACTIVITIES

While the Freedmen's Bureau did not begin full operations in Kentucky until June 1866, its activities in the state generally resembled those conducted in other Southern states. The Bureau supervised labor contracts between planters and freedmen, administered justice, assisted freedmen in the establishment of schools, helped freedmen legalize marriages, and worked with black soldiers and their heirs in processing claims relating to military service.

The regulation of written labor agreements between planters and freedmen was a major concern of the Freedmen's Bureau. In a circular issued on July 24, 1865 (Circular Number 2), Assistant Commissioner Fisk told his subordinates that for both Kentucky and Tennessee freedmen must be free to choose their own employers and that wages were to be based on supply and demand rather than a fixed rate. Bureau officials were to negotiate and approve labor contracts and enforce violations by either party. Compulsory unpaid labor was strictly prohibited. In some areas of Kentucky, planters refused to enter into written agreements with freedmen, and freedmen themselves were reluctant to enter into annual agreements for fear of being reduced to slavery. However, with strong reservations, Bureau officers negotiated monthly agreements for them but encouraged freedmen to sign annual contracts that offered yearlong employment. Wages for monthly contracts ranged from \$8 to \$10 a month for adult male field hands, well below the state's average wage of \$15 a month for men. However by the summer of 1866, with the Bureau's insistence, adult laborers in the tobacco region of the state received \$25 per month and laborers in the farm belt areas earned \$12 per month. In some Kentucky counties, freedmen

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received a third of the crops rather than wages. However, because of the shortage of laborers in the state, freedmen were able to demand higher wages, and thus over time the sharecropping system became less attractive.¹

The Bureau worked to protect the rights and legal status of freedmen, which, despite the ending of slavery by the 13th Amendment, were still endangered by the persistence of the old slave codes. On May 30, 1865, Commissioner Howard issued Circular Number 5, authorizing Assistant Commissioners to establish courts in states where the old codes existed and the right of blacks to testify against whites was prohibited. Gen. Fisk subsequently announced to the citizens of Kentucky that freedmen courts would operate in the state as long as freedmen weren't given the same rights as whites. By 1867, as a result of several Federal court rulings, Bureau courts ceased to operate in Kentucky. When state courts denied black testimony, the agency, under provisions of the Civil Rights Act of 1866, took cases involving freedmen to the U.S. District Court of Kentucky. In instances where freedmen lacked resources to pursue their cases in Federal court, the Bureau provided transportation for witnesses and other forms of assistance. Despite the Bureau's efforts to safeguard rights and secure justice for freedmen in Kentucky, admitting the testimony of blacks against whites still remained an issue in 1869 when Bureau Assistant Commissioners and their subordinates were withdrawn from the states. However, in January 1872, with a change in public opinion and pressure from the courts, the Kentucky State Legislature amended state law and allowed blacks to testify.

When Gen. John Ely began his duties as chief superintendent for Kentucky under Gen. Fisk's supervision, there were 30 freedmen schools and more than 2,000 students. The schools were organized and maintained by black churches, with black clergy as instructors. Freedmen schools faced widespread violence and white opposition, and in many cases, teachers and students were forced to abandon efforts to maintain school buildings. Ely and his subordinate assisted freedmen in reopening schools that had been forced to close.² Under Maj. Gen. Jeff C. Davis, who replaced Ely in the summer of 1866, the number of freedmen schools increased to 54, with some 67 teachers and more than 3,200 students. Excluding the schools established at Lexington and Covington under the auspices of the Cincinnati Branch of the Western Freedmen's Aid Society and the Cincinnati Branch of the American Missionary Association, the freedmen schools were taught by black teachers who were supported by subscriptions from parents and black religious institutions. The Bureau, however, rented the building for the school at Lexington. Under Brig. Gen. Sidney Burbank, who succeeded Davis in March 1867, the number of freedmen schools increased to 96, accommodating about 5,000 students aged 6-18. By

¹ House Ex. Doc. 70, 39th Cong., 1st Sess., Serial vol. 1256, p. 48. See also Victor B. Howard, *Black Liberation in Kentucky: Emancipation and Freedom, 1862-1884* (Kentucky: The University Press of Kentucky, 1983), pp. 96-97.

² See report of Maj. J. C. Davis, August 23, 1866, "Synopsis of Letters and Reports Relating to Conditions of Freedmen and Bureau Activities in the States, January 1866-March 1869," vol. 135, Records of the Commissioner, Record Group 105, NARA, pp. 294-395.

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September 1868, in spite of continued violence and opposition, the Bureau had provided support for 135 day schools and 1 night school, serving more than 6,000 students.³

On February 14, 1866, the Kentucky State Legislature passed an act legalizing marriages freedmen had entered into during slavery and authorizing black ministers to solemnize such marriages. Nearly 2 weeks later, on February 26, 1866, Assistant Commissioner Fisk issued Circular Number 5, in accordance with the Kentucky law, directing those freedmen who sought to solemnize a marriage to the county clerk for a marriage license. If the county clerk refused to issue a license, Bureau officials in the subdistricts were authorized to solemnize marriages and issue marriage certificates. Local Bureau officers were required to maintain a register of freedmen marriages and forward a report of such marriages to the Assistant Commissioner at the end of each month. Subordinate Bureau officers were also told to notify persons living as man and wife who had not legalized their marriage, to report to the Bureau to take the necessary steps to do so. Persons who failed to comply were guilty of a misdemeanor and were to be punished by a fine and imprisonment.⁴ This microfilm publication reproduces marriage licenses, certificates, and registers of marriages for the Kentucky subdistricts at Augusta, Bowling Green, Columbus, Cynthiana, Owensboro, Paducah, Mt. Sterling, and Winchester. A single freedmen marriage license and a marriage certificate from Kentucky, filed in the Bureau's headquarters records, has been reproduced on roll 1 of National Archives Microfilm Publication M1875, *Marriage Records of the Office of the Commissioner, Washington Headquarters of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1861-1869*.

In addition to assisting freedmen in solemnizing slave marriages and efforts to sustain the black family, the Bureau helped discharged soldiers, sailors, marines, and their heirs in claims for back pay, bounty payments, and pensions. In accordance with a law passed by Congress on March 29, 1867 (15 Stat. 26), making the Bureau the sole agent for payment of claims relating to black veterans, Bureau disbursing officers assisted freedmen in the preparation and settlement of military claims. In November 1866, in spite of the difficulties in locating veterans who fled the state for fear of violence, Assistant Commissioner Davis reported that he had forwarded more than 260 black soldiers' claims for back pay and bounty payments to Commissioner Howard's office in Washington, DC. In the following year, Assistant Commissioner Burbank reported that his office had assisted nearly 500 veterans with military claims, and in the fall of 1868, for the year ending October 10, 1868, that more than 1,100 received bounty payments through his office.⁵

³ Ross A. Webb, "The Past Is Never Dead, It's Not Even Past: Benjamin P. Runkle and the Freedmen's Bureau in Kentucky, 1866-1870," *The Register of Kentucky Historical Society* vol. 84, no. 4 (Autumn 1986), pp. 348-350.

⁴ See Victor B. Howard, *Black Liberation in Kentucky*, pp. 121-125.

⁵ Senate Ex. Doc. No. 6, 39th Cong., 2nd Sess., Serial vol. 1276, p. 67; See also Annual Reports of the Assistant Commissioners, Kentucky, 1867 and 1868, Records of the Office of the Commissioner, Record Group 105, NARA.

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RECORDS DESCRIPTION

These records consist of volumes and unbound records. The volumes reproduced in this microfilm publication were originally arranged by type of record and thereunder by volume number. No numbers were assigned to series consisting of single volumes. Years later, all volumes were arbitrarily assigned numbers by the Adjutant General's Office (AGO) of the War Department after the records came into its custody. In this microfilm publication, AGO numbers are shown in parentheses to aid in identifying the volumes. The National Archives assigned the volume numbers that are not in parentheses. In some volumes, particularly in indexes and alphabetical headings of registers, there are blank numbered pages that have not been filmed.

The volumes consist of letters and endorsements sent and received, press copies of letters sent, registers of letters received, letters and orders received, registers of freedmen court cases, special orders and circulars issued, registers of claimants, registers of complaints, marriage certificates, and monthly reports forwarded to the Assistant Commissioner. The unbound documents consist of letters and orders received, unregistered letters and narrative reports received, special orders and circulars issued, and general orders and circulars received. The unbound records also contain monthly reports; labor contracts; marriage certificates, and records relating to claims.

Some of the volumes contain more than one type of record, reflecting a common recording practice of clerks and staff officers of that period. On roll 93, for example, the volume of contracts for the Columbus field office also contains a register of marriages. Some other examples of additional series within volumes can be found in records on rolls 106, 123, and 133. Researchers should read carefully the records descriptions and arrangements in the Table of Contents to make full use of these documents.

RELATED RECORDS

In the same record group, RG 105, and related to records of the Bureau's field offices for Kentucky, are those of the Bureau headquarters in Washington, DC, and previously microfilmed records of the Assistant Commissioner and the superintendent of education for Tennessee. These record series are available in the following National Archives microfilm publications:

M742, Selected Series of Records Issued by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1865-1872

M752, Registers and Letters Received by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1865-1872

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M803, *Records of the Education Division of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1865–1870*

M999, *Records of the Assistant Commissioner for the State of Tennessee, Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1865–1869*

M1000, *Records of the Superintendent of Education for the State of Tennessee, Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1865–1871*

M1875, *Marriage Records of the Office of the Commissioner, Washington Headquarters of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1861–1869*

Records in other National Archives record groups supplement those of the Assistant Commissioner. In Records of United States Army Continental Commands, 1821–1920, RG 393, are records of the military district that included Kentucky. Records relating to employment and welfare of freedmen and abandoned property before the establishment of the Bureau are among Records of Civil War Special Agencies of the Treasury Department, RG 366. The records of the Freedman's Savings and Trust Company, 1865–1874, in Records of the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, RG 101, contain information relating to former slaves who maintained accounts with bank branches in Kentucky.

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APPENDIX

This list provides the names and dates of service of chief medical officers and known Freedmen's Bureau personnel at selected subordinate field offices in Kentucky. Additional information regarding persons assigned to various field offices might be found among the Bureau's Washington headquarters station books and rosters of military officers and civilians on duty in the states and other appointment-related records.

LOCATION	DATES
LOUISVILLE Chief Medical Officer F. S. Town W. R. De Witt, Jr. R. A. Bell	 July 1866–Mar. 1867 Mar.–Nov. 1867 Nov. 1867–June 1869
BOWLING GREEN Chief Subassistant Commissioner Charles F. Johnson Joseph C. Rodriguez Louis A. Reynolds A. Benson Brown	 July 1866–July 1867 July–Dec. 1867 Jan.–Feb. 1868 Feb.–June 1868
BOWLING GREEN Superintendent and Subassistant Commissioner R. W. Thing (Superintendent) Joseph C. Rodriguez (Subassistant Comm.) James A. Shepley (Subassistant Commissioner)	 Jan.–Mar. 1866 Sept. 1866–July 1867 July–Dec. 1867
BRANDENBURG Superintendent and Subassistant Commissioner York A. Woodward (Superintendent) James A. Bolton (Subassistant Commissioner)	 Sept. 1866–June 1867 May–June 1868
BURKSVILLE Subassistant Commissioner George W. Kingsbury	 Oct. 1866–July 1868
COLUMBUS Superintendent and Subassistant Commissioner Lt. James F. Bolton (Superintendent, Paducah) Lt. James F. Bolton (Superintendent) Lt. James F. Bolton (Subassistant) Capt. Emerson H. Liscum (Subassistant)	 Mar.–Apr. 1866 Apr. 1866–Mar. 1868 Mar.–Apr. 1868 Apr.–July 1868

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COVINGTON

Superintendent

John L. Graham

Jan. 1866–July 1868

DANVILLE

Superintendent and Subassistant Commissioner

William Goodloe (Superintendent)

Jan.–May 1866

W. R. Roume (Superintendent)

June 1866–Apr. 1867

W. R. Roume (Subassistant)

Apr.–Aug. 1867

A. Benson Brown (Subassistant)

Aug.–Dec. 1867

Martin Norton (Subassistant)

Dec. 1867–Apr. 1868

H. G. Thomas (Chief Subassistant)

Feb.–June 1868

GREENSBURG

Superintendent and Chief Agent

George Duff (Superintendent)

Oct. 1866–Nov. 1866

P. S. Reeves (Chief Agent)

Mar. 1867–Feb. 1868

HENDERSON

Chief Subassistant Commissioner

James McCleery

Feb.–May 1868

V. H. Echorn

May 1868

A. Benson Brown

June–July 1868

HENDERSON

Superintendent and Subassistant

F. F. Cheaney (Superintendent)

Jan.–Dec. 1866

Wells Bailey (Subassistant)

Apr.–Sept. 1867

V. H. Echorn (Subassistant)

Jan.–July 1868

LEXINGTON

Chief Superintendent and Chief Subassistant

John Ely (Chief)

Feb.–Mar. 1866

James H. Rice (Chief Superintendent)

Apr.–June 1866

R. E. Johnson (Chief Superintendent)

June 1866–Feb. 1867

James H. Rice (Acting Chief Superintendent)

Aug.–Oct. 1866

R. E. Johnson (Acting Chief Superintendent)

Oct. 1866–Apr. 1867

R. E. Johnson (Chief Subassistant)

Apr. 1867–Dec. 1868

LEXINGTON

Superintendent and Subassistant

James H. Rice (Superintendent)

June 1866–Apr. 1867

James H. Rice (Subassistant)

Apr.–June 1867

W. R. Montmolin (Acting Subassistant)

June–July 1867

Patrick H. Flood (Subassistant)

July–Oct. 1867

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LOUISVILLE

Superintendent and Subassistant Commissioner

S. A. Porter (Superintendent)	July-Aug. 1865
H. A. McCaleb (Superintendent)	Aug.-Nov. 1865
E. D. Kennedy (Acting Superintendent)	Nov. 1865
Walter Babcock (Superintendent)	Mar.-Apr. 1866
A. Benson Brown (Superintendent)	Apr. 1866
C. H. Frederick (Superintendent)	Apr. 1866-June 1866
A. Benson Brown (Acting Superintendent)	June 1866
C. H. Frederick (Superintendent)	July 1866-Apr. 1867
A. Benson Brown (Assistant Superintendent)	July 1866-Apr. 1867
R. W. Roberts (Subassistant)	Apr.-July 1867
J. Catlin (Subassistant)	July 1867-July 1868
J. Catlin (Chief Subassistant)	July-Dec. 1868

PADUCAH

Chief Superintendent and Chief Subassistant Commissioner

John H. Donovan (Chief Superintendent)	Apr.-Dec. 1866
John F. Smith (Acting Chief Superintendent)	Aug. 1866
W. James Kay (Chief Superintendent)	Dec. 1866-Apr. 1867
W. James Kay (Chief Subassistant)	Apr.-June 1867
W. James Kay (Chief Subassistant)	June 1867-Mar. 1868
P. T. Swaine (Chief Subassistant)	Apr.-July 1868
A. Benson Brown (Chief Subassistant)	July-Dec. 1868

PADUCAH (McCracken County)

Superintendent, Chief Agent, and Subassistant Commissioner

A. M. York (Superintendent)	Aug. 1865-Apr. 1866
John F. Smith (Superintendent)	Apr.-Nov. 1866
Jas. Drysdale (Superintendent)	Dec. 1866-Jan. 1867
C. D. Smith (Superintendent)	Feb.-Apr. 1867
C. D. Smith (Chief Agent)	Apr. 1867
C. D. Smith (Subassistant)	Apr.-May 1867
C. D. Smith (Chief Agent)	May-Nov. 1867
R. S. Egelston (Subassistant)	May-July 1868

PARIS

Agent

Joseph A. Hilduth	Mar. 1866
Thomas I. Elliott	Mar.-May 1866
R. W. Hutchcraft	June-July 1866

RUSSELLVILLE

Subassistant Commissioner

H. A. Hunter	Mar. 1868
M. E. Billings	Apr.-June 1868

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SMITHLAND

Agent

J. Bone Thompson
Solomon Littlefield

Mar. 1866–Jan. 1867
Mar.–June 1867

WINCHESTER

Superintendent

H. C. Howard
George W. Gist
R. C. Nicholas

Feb. and Sept. 1866
Feb.–June and Sept. 1866
Apr. 1866

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⁶ The Adjutant General's Office (AGO) of the War Department assigned the volume numbers shown in parentheses after the records came into its custody. The volume numbers not in parentheses were assigned by the National Archives and Records Administration.

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	<i>Name Index to Registers of Letters Received</i> The single-volume name index, July 1871–April 1872 (13), is an index to volume (12) of the registers of letters received mentioned below.	
	Volume (13)	July 1871–Apr. 1872
	<i>Registers of Letters Received</i> The twelve volumes of registers of letters received are dated March 1866–April 1872 (1–12). Entries in the first nine registers, March 1866–February 1870, are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent and thereunder chronologically. However, each register does not contain all alphabetical divisions. For example, the “As” are in volumes (1), (3), and (9) only, and the “Gs” are in volumes (1), (2), (3), (6), and (9) only. The volume listings below show the initial letters of surnames included in each volume. The entries within each alphabetical division are numbered with a separate numerical sequence for each year, but don’t always span the time period listed below.	
	The last three registers, January 1870–April 1872, are arranged by time period. The entries in volumes 10 and 11 are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent and thereunder in chronological order and numbered. The entries in volume 12, July 1871–April 1872, are arranged in chronological order and numbered with a separate numerical sequence for each year. The name index to volume 12 is volume (13) above. The letters received relating to the registers, March 1866–February 1872, are listed below.	
	Volume (1) A–Z	Mar. 1866–Dec. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
9	<i>Registers of Letters Received</i>	
(cont.)		
	Volume (2)	
	B-H, J, L, Q-T, W	May 1866-Dec. 1868
	Volume (3)	
	A-B, D, F-H, J-M	Sept. 1866-Dec. 1868
	Volume (4)	
	B, F, H, R-S	Apr. 1867-Dec. 1868
10	Volume (5)	
	J-L	Dec. 1866-Jan. 1868
	Volume (6)	
	B-C, G, M-N, T, W-Y	Apr. 1867-Dec. 1868
	Volume (7)	
	J, L, R-S	July 1867-Dec. 1868
11	Volume (8)	
	B-C, H, K	Aug. 1867-Dec. 1868
	Volume (9)	
	A-C, G-H, K, N, W	July 1868-Feb. 1870
12	Volume (10)	Jan. 1870-Jan. 1871
	Volume (11)	Jan. 1871-July 1871
	Volume (12)	July 1871-Apr. 1872
13	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received cover the period March 1866-March 1872. For the period March 1866-July 1871, the letters are arranged by year, thereunder alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent, and thereunder numerically. For the period July 1871-February 1872, they are arranged numerically. Almost all of the letters are entered in the registers of letters received mentioned above. Those letters not entered in the registers are filed after the last entered letters for each year.	
	A1-D132	1866
14	D133-F357	1866
15	F358-H281	1866
16	J½-J249	1866
17	J250-J489	1866
18	K½-O27	1866
19	P1-T30	1866

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
20	<i>Letters Received</i> (cont.)	
	T31	1866
	A4-B249	1867
21	B251-F80	1867
22	F85-G106	1867
23	H1-H741	1867
24	J2-J278	1867
25	J279-J523	1867
26	J524-J775	1867
27	J776-J1018	1867
28	J1019-K314	1867
29	L2-Q	1867
30	R½-R348	1867
31	A1-B137	1868
32	B140-B385	1868
33	B386-C221	1868
34	C223-H217	1868
35	H218-J89	1868
36	J90-J348	1868
37	K2-L162	1868
38	M3-S58	1868
39	S59-Y13	1868
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	Jan.-Nov. 1868
40	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	A1-H116	1869

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
41	<i>Letters Received</i> (cont.)	
	H120-H621	1869
42	H623-S46	1869
43	S51-Y <i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	1869 Jan.-Dec. 1869
44	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	A1-H683	1870
45	H684-Y <i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	1870 Jan.-Dec. 1870
46	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	A3-W1	1871
	1-178	1871
47	179-585 1-162	1871 Jan.-Mar. 1872
48	ISSUANCES	
	<i>General Orders and Circulars</i>	
	The single volume of general orders and circulars, March 1866-April 1869 (36), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (36)	Mar. 1866-Apr. 1869
	<i>Special Orders</i>	
	The single volume of special orders, March 1866-October 1870 (35), is arranged by year and thereunder numerically.	
	Volume (35)	Mar. 1866-Oct. 1870
	REPORTS	
	<i>Narrative Report of Bureau Operations for January 1868</i>	
	Unbound narrative report of Bureau operations for January 1868 is dated February 15, 1868. The report may have been compiled by the chief of staff of Assistant Commissioner Sidney Burbank. The last pages of the report are missing.	
		Feb. 15, 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
48 (cont.)	<i>Inspection Reports Received Concerning Freedmen Conditions and the Operations of the Bureau in Kentucky</i> The single volume of inspection reports received concerning Freedmen conditions and the operations of the Bureau in Kentucky, June 1867–October 1868 (37), is arranged chronologically. These are reports to the Assistant Commissioner made by the assistant inspector general.	
	Volume (37)	June 1867–Oct. 1868
49	<i>Monthly Narrative and Statistical School Reports</i> Unbound monthly narrative and statistical school reports, July 1866–December 1868 are arranged chronologically. The reports are by either the Assistant Commissioner or the superintendent of education on the number and kinds of schools available for freedmen in Kentucky and the work of the Bureau in furthering the establishment of schools.	
		July 1866–Dec. 1867
50	<i>Narrative and School Reports</i> (cont.)	Jan.–Dec. 1868
51	<i>Teachers' Monthly School Reports Received</i> Unbound teachers' monthly school reports received, October 1866–June 1870, are arranged chronologically. The reports are mainly from teachers in Kentucky, but at the end of the series there are reports from teachers in Illinois, December 1868–June 1870, and from Indiana, March 1868–June 1869.	
		Oct. 1866–May 1868
52	<i>Teachers' School Reports</i> (cont.)	June 1868–Jan. 1869
53	<i>Teachers' School Reports</i> (cont.)	Feb.–Mar. 1869
54	<i>Teachers' School Reports</i> (cont.)	Apr.–May 1869
55	<i>Teachers' School Reports</i> (cont.)	June–Nov. 1869
56	<i>Teachers' School Reports</i> (cont.)	Dec. 1869–Feb. 1870
57	<i>Teachers' School Reports</i> (cont.)	Feb.–Apr. 1870
58	<i>Teachers' School Reports</i> (cont.) <i>Reports Received from Illinois</i>	May–June 1870 Dec. 1868 and Feb.–June 1869 and Oct. 1869–June 1870
	<i>Reports Received from Indiana</i>	Mar. 1868–June 1869

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
59	<i>Monthly Reports of Operations</i> Unbound monthly reports of operations, April 1866–November 1868, are arranged chronologically. Most of these tabular reports give the number of freedmen at work, under contract, or apprenticed, and the number of outrages committed in each subdistrict of Kentucky. Some of the reports also give the number of arrests, the number of rations, and clothing issued, the number of claims forwarded and collected, and the number of marriage certificates issued.	Apr. 1866–June 1867
60	<i>Reports of Operations</i> (cont.)	July 1867–Nov. 1868
61	<i>Monthly Reports of Confiscated or Abandoned Lands in the Possession of the Assistant Commissioner</i> Unbound monthly reports of confiscated or abandoned lands in the possession of the Assistant Commissioner, July 1866–December 1868, are arranged chronologically.	July 1866–Dec. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports of Rations, Clothing, and Medicine Issued</i> Unbound monthly reports of rations, clothing, and medicine issued, July 1866–December 1868, are arranged chronologically.	July 1866–Dec. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports of Changes in Officers and Civilians in the Bureau</i> Unbound monthly reports of changes in officers and civilians in the Bureau, September 1866–December 1868, are arranged chronologically. The reports usually list the appointments and transfers of Bureau personnel during the reporting period.	Sept. 1866–Dec. 1868
62	OTHER RECORDS <i>Rosters of Officers and Civilians on Duty</i> Unbound rosters of officers and civilians on duty, March 1866–December 1868, are arranged chronologically.	Mar. 1866–May 1867
63	<i>Rosters of Officers and Civilians</i> (cont.)	July 1867–Dec. 1868
64	<i>List of Teachers Assigned to Schools</i> The single-volume list of teachers assigned to schools, October 1869–March 1870 (38), is arranged alphabetically by name of town. The list of teachers was apparently written in a volume that was formerly a name index to another volume.	Oct. 1869–Mar. 1870
	Volume (38)	

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
64	<i>Labor Contracts</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound labor contracts, 1865-68, are arranged by year and thereunder alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the employer.	
	May-Dec.	1865
	A-D	1866
65	E-M	1866
66	N-Y	1866
67	A-Q	1867
68	R-W	1867
	A-W	1868

**OFFICES OF STAFF OFFICERS
DISBURSING OFFICER**

Letters Sent

The single volume of letters sent, May-December 1868 (41), is arranged chronologically.

Volume (41) May-Dec. 1868

69 *Endorsements Sent*

The single volume of endorsements sent, May-December 1868 (42), is arranged chronologically.

Volume (42) May-Dec. 1868

Registers of Letters Received

The two volumes of registers of letters received are dated May-December 1868, 1 (39) and 2 (40). Entries in volume 1 (39) are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent and thereunder in chronological order and numbered. Volume 2 (40) is a supplemental volume, and it contains entries continued from volume 1 (39) for the letters "B," "C," "H," "M," " and "S." For the letters received, January-December 1868, see the unbound letters received mentioned below.

Volume 1 (39)
A-W May-Dec. 1868
Volume 2 (40) Aug.-Dec. 1868

70 *Letters Received*

Unbound letters received, January-December 1868, are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent and thereunder arranged in chronological order and numbered.

A3-B363 Jan.-Dec. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
71	<i>Letters Received</i> (cont.) C1-G52	Jan.-Dec. 1868
72	H1-H490	Jan.-Dec. 1868
73	H491-J163	Jan.-Dec. 1868
74	J164-Q9	Jan.-Dec. 1868
75	R2-Y	Jan.-Dec. 1868
76	<i>Registers of Claimants</i> The five volumes of registers of claimants, October 1867-March 1872, 1 (43), 2 (44), 3 (45), 4 (46), and 5 (47), are arranged by time period. The entries are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the claimant and thereunder chronologically. The entries give the name, address, rank, company, and regiment of the soldier; the number of the Treasury certificate; the amount of the claim; and the date it was paid and the amount paid to the claimant.	
	Volume 1 (43)	Oct. 1867-Dec. 1868
	Volume 2 (44)	Jan.-Apr. 1869
	Volume 3 (45)	Feb.-June 1871
	Volume 4 (46)	July-Dec. 1871
	Volume 5 (47)	Jan.-Mar. 1872
77	<i>Register of Claimants</i> The single-volume register of claimants, June-December 1868 (44½), is arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the claimant. Some of the names in this register appear in the five volumes of registers of claimants mentioned above. Since the title on the cover is "Case of Major Benj. P. Runkle tried by general court martial, exhibit No. 34," it appears that this volume was an exhibit in the trial.	
	Volume (44½)	June-Dec. 1868
	<i>Lists of Claimants</i> The five volumes of lists of claimants are dated ca. 1870-72, 1 (48), 2 (49), 3 (50), 4 (51), and 5 (53). Within each volume the lists are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the claimant. Most of the volumes include the name, address, rank, company, and regiment of the claimant.	
	Volume 1 (48)	ca. 1870-1872
	Volume 2 (49)	ca. 1870-1872
	Volume 3 (50)	1871-Feb. 1872
	Volume 4 (51)	1870-1871
	Volume 5 (53)	Mar.-Dec. 1870

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
77	<i>Receipts of Claimants for Checks</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound receipts of claimants for checks, May–September 1870, are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of surname of the claimant.	
		May–Sept. 1870
	<i>Postage Accounts</i>	
	The single volume of postage accounts, July–December 1871 (52) is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (52)	July–Dec. 1871
78	CHIEF MEDICAL OFFICER	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The two volumes of letters sent, July 1866–June 1869, 1 (55) and 2 (56), are arranged chronologically. Included in volume 1 (55), July 1866–May 1867, are copies of endorsements sent and a list of men for whom certificates of disability were forwarded to the discharge depot, dated July 1863–June 1864.	
	Volume 1 (55)	July 1866–May 1867
	Volume 2 (56)	May 1867–June 1869
	<i>Endorsements Sent</i>	
	The single volume of endorsements sent, May–December 1868 (57), is arranged chronologically. Endorsements sent May 1867–May 1868 are entered in the register of letters received listed below.	
	Volume (57)	May–Dec. 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received, May 1868–February 1869 (54), is arranged and numbered in chronological order by date received. The first part of the register consists of endorsements sent, May 1867–May 1868, arranged in chronological order and numbered. Endorsements are a separate series and are continued in the single volume of endorsements sent mentioned above.	
	Volume (54)	May 1868–Feb. 1869
79	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, August 1866–December 1868, are arranged chronologically. They are partially registered in the register of letters received (54) mentioned above.	
		Aug. 1866–Sept. 1867
80	<i>Letters Received</i> (cont.)	Oct. 1867–Dec. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
81	<i>Monthly and Weekly Reports of Sick and Wounded</i> Unbound monthly and weekly reports of sick and wounded, December 1866–July 1868, are arranged chronologically.	Dec. 1866–July 1868
82	<i>Monthly Reports Received of Sick and Wounded</i> Unbound monthly reports received of sick and wounded, December 1866–December 1868, are arranged alphabetically by location of hospital or dispensary and thereunder chronologically.	Dec. 1866–Dec. 1868
83	<i>Weekly Reports Received of Sick and Wounded</i> Unbound weekly reports received of sick and wounded, December 1866–December 1868, are arranged alphabetically by location of the hospital or dispensary and thereunder chronologically.	
	Covington	Dec. 1866–Oct. 1868
	Lexington	Dec. 1866–July 1868
84	Louisville, East	July–Dec. 1868
	Louisville, West	July–Sept. 1868
	U. S. General Hospital	June 1866–May 1867
	Louisville Consolidated Hospital Reports	Dec. 1866–July 1867
85	Louisville Consolidated Hospital Reports	Aug. 1867–July 1868
86	Louisville	Aug.–Dec. 1868
87	<i>Monthly Returns of Medical Officers and Reports of Attendants</i> Unbound monthly returns of medical officers and reports of attendants, July 1866–December 1868, are arranged chronologically.	July 1866–Dec. 1868

Miscellaneous Records and Reports

Unbound miscellaneous records and reports, August 1866–November 1868, are arranged by type of record and thereunder chronologically. This series includes contracts between the chief medical officer and individuals (August 1866–March 1867), inventory and inspection reports (September–November 1868), and a monthly return of medical officers serving in the district (May 1867). There is also a monthly report of persons (by name, age, and sex) enrolled in the general hospital for refugees and freedmen (July 1868); a table showing age, sex, and class of unfortunates among the black people (July 1867); a receipt roll of hired men, (May 1867); and an order (February 1867).

Aug. 1866–Nov. 1868

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ROLL DESCRIPTION

DATES

87 SUBORDINATE FIELD OFFICES

(cont.) **AUGUSTA (SUPERINTENDENT—BRACHEN COUNTY)**

Letters Received

Unbound letters received, January–June 1867, are arranged chronologically. The series includes two marriage licenses/certificates with final dates of marriage of November 1866 and April 1867.

Jan.–June 1867

BOWLING GREEN (CHIEF SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)

Letters Sent

The two volumes of letters sent, July 1866–June 1868, 1 (68) and 2 (69), are arranged by year and thereunder arranged in chronological order and numbered. Volume 1 (68) has a name index.

Volume 1 (68)

July 1866–May 1868

Volume 2 (69)

Apr. 1868–June 1868

Endorsements Sent

The single volume of endorsements sent, June–July 1868 (71), is arranged chronologically and numbered.

Volume (71)

June–July 1868

88 Registers of Letters Received and Endorsements Sent

The five registers of letters received and endorsements sent, July 1866–July 1868, 1 (59), 2 (60), 3 (61), 4 (62), and 5 (63), are arranged by time period, and volumes 1 (59), 2 (60), and 3 (61) have name indexes. For letters entered in volumes 3 (61), 4 (62), and 5 (63), see the series of unbound letters received, June 1866–June 1868, mentioned below. The entries in volumes 1 (59), 2 (60), and 3 (61) are arranged in chronological order and numbered with a separate numerical sequence for each year. The entries in volumes 4 (62) and 5 (63) are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent and thereunder arranged in chronological order and numbered.

Volume 1 (59)

July 1866–Apr. 1867

Volume 2 (60)

May–Oct. 1867

Volume 3 (61)

Oct. 1867–May 1868

Volume 4 (62)

May–June 1868

Volume 5 (63)

June–July 1868

89 Letters Received

The single volume of letters received, June 1866–December 1867 (58), is arranged in chronological order by date received and numbered, and the volume has a name index. For letters copied into this volume, see the series of letters received, June 1866–June 1868, mentioned below.

Volume (58)

June 1866–Dec. 1867

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
89	<i>Letters Received</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound letters received, June 1866–June 1868, are arranged according to their entry in the volume of letters received (58) and the registers of letters received and endorsements sent, 3 (61), 4 (62), 5 (63), mentioned above.	
	1–42	June–Dec. 1866
	29–286, and B3–K9	Jan.–June 1868
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound unregistered letters received, April 1866–July 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Apr. 1866–July 1868
	<i>Special Orders Issued</i>	
	The single volume of special orders issued, July 1866–November 1867 and February–April 1868 (72), is arranged by year and thereunder arranged in chronological order and numbered. The volume also contains circulars issued, February–April 1868, arranged in chronological order and numbered.	
	Volume (72)	July 1866–Nov. 1867 and Feb.–Apr. 1868
	<i>Special Orders Received</i>	
	The single volume of special orders received, June 1866–April 1868 (73), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (73)	June 1866–Apr. 1868
90	<i>Special Orders Received</i>	
	Unbound special orders received, June 1866–March 1868, are arranged in chronological order and numbered. The series also includes circulars.	
		June 1866–Mar. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports of Operations</i>	
	Unbound monthly reports of operations, June 1866–July 1868, are arranged chronologically. The series includes both statistical and narrative reports from officers subordinate to the subassistant commissioner and retained copies of reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		June 1866–July 1868
	<i>Monthly School Reports</i>	
	Unbound monthly school reports, July 1866–July 1868, are arranged chronologically. The series includes both statistical and narrative reports from officers subordinate to the subassistant commissioner and retained copies of reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		July 1866–July 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
91	<i>Monthly Reports of Persons and Articles Hired</i> Unbound monthly reports of persons and articles hired, July 1866–May 1868, are arranged chronologically.	July 1866–May 1868
	<i>Register of Complaints</i> The single-volume register of complaints, July 1866–February 1868 (77), is arranged chronologically. The volume also contains a list of “loyal correspondents in Bowling Green District (no date),” arranged by county, and a list of “bounty claims forwarded,” dated August 1867 that are arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (77)	July 1866–Feb. 1868
	<i>Register of Cases Tried</i> The single-volume register of cases tried, July 1866–June 1867 (78), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (78)	July 1866–June 1867
	<i>Monthly Reports of Money Received and Expended</i> Unbound monthly reports of money received and expended, June 1866–October 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		June 1866–Oct. 1867
	<i>Accounts</i> The single volume of accounts, January–October 1867 (75), is arranged by name of person and thereunder chronologically.	
	Volume (75)	Jan.–Oct. 1867
	BOWLING GREEN (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Name Index</i> The single-volume name index is an index to the letters sent, September 1866–December 1867 (70), mentioned below.	
	1 Volume (Index to Volume 70)	Sept. 1866–Dec. 1867
	<i>Letters Sent</i> The single volume of letters sent, September 1866–December 1867 (70), is arranged by year and thereunder arranged in chronological order and numbered. The name index to this series is mentioned above.	
	Volume (70)	Sept. 1866–Dec. 1867

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
91	<i>Name Index</i>	
(cont.)	The single-volume name index (66) is an index to the two volumes of registers of letters received and endorsements sent, December 1866–December 1867, 1 (64) and 2 (65).	
	Volume (66)	Sept. 1866–Dec. 1867
	<i>Registers of Letters Received and Endorsements Sent</i>	
	The two volumes of registers of letters received and endorsements sent, December 1866–December 1867, 1 (64) and 2 (65), are arranged in chronological order by date received and numbered. Volume 1 (64) also contains endorsements, September–December 1866, arranged in chronological order and numbered. The name index to this series, volume (66), is mentioned above.	
	Volume 1 (64)	Sept. 1866–Sept. 1867
	Volume 2 (65)	Sept.–Dec. 1867
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	The single volume of letters received, September 1866–December 1867 (67), is arranged in chronological order by date received and numbered.	
	Volume (67)	Sept. 1866–Dec. 1867
92	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, November 1866–December 1867, are arranged in chronological order and numbered. The letters are registered in the single-volume register of letters received (67) mentioned above.	
		Nov. 1866–Dec. 1867
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound unregistered letters received, October 1865–March 1866 and November 1866–December 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		Oct. 1865–Mar. 1866 and Nov. 1866–Dec. 1867
	<i>Special Orders Received</i>	
	The single volume of special orders received, May 1866–December 1867 (74), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (74)	May 1866–Dec. 1867
	<i>Register of Marriages</i>	
	The single-volume register of marriages, December 1865–January 1866 (79), is arranged alphabetically.	
	Volume (79)	Dec. 1865–Jan. 1866

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
92	<i>Accounts</i>	
(cont.)	The single volume of accounts, July 1866–February 1867 (76), is arranged chronologically. The volume also contains a list of bounty claimants, August 1867–February 1868, arranged chronologically. The volume has a name index.	
	Volume (76)	July 1866–Feb. 1867
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, January 1866–April 1868, are arranged by type of record. The series includes special orders (September 1866–November 1867), receipts for money (December 1867), affidavits (September–October 1867). Also included is a register of school tickets issued (April 1868), narrative reports (January 1866), and reports of expenses (January 1866).	
		Jan. 1866–Apr. 1868
	BRANDENBURG (SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Registers of Letters Sent and Received</i>	
	The single volume of register of letters sent and received, January–July 1867 (80), is arranged by type of register and thereunder chronologically. The volume also includes letters sent from Brandenburg dated September 1866 and a register of letters received at Owensboro (June–July 1868).	
	Volume (80)	Sept. 1866 and Jan.–July 1867
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of letters sent, May–June 1868 (82), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. For letters sent September 1866 and a register of letters sent January–July 1867, see the single volume of registers of letters sent and received (80) mentioned above.	
	Volume (82)	May–June 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received, May–July 1868 (81), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (81)	May–July 1868
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, May–June 1868, are arranged chronologically. The letters are registered in the single-volume register of letters received (81) mentioned above.	
		May–June 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
92	BURKSVILLE (SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
(cont.)	<i>Letters Sent</i> The single volume of letters sent, October 1866–July 1868 (83), is arranged in chronological order and numbered.	
	Volume (83)	Oct. 1866–July 1868
	<i>Letters Received</i> Unbound letters received, September 1866–June 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Sept. 1866–June 1868
93	<i>Monthly Statistical Reports of Operations</i> Unbound monthly statistical reports of operations, September 1866–July 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Sept. 1866–July 1868
	<i>Register of Cases in Freedmans Court</i> The single-volume register of cases in "Freedmans Court," October 1866–October 1867 (84), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (84)	Oct. 1866–Oct. 1867
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i> Unbound miscellaneous records, May 1866–July 1868, are arranged by type of record. Included are monthly reports of schools (October 1866–July 1868); monthly reports of accounts current (May 1866–March 1867); reports of persons and articles hired (February and July 1868); claims for reimbursement (November 1866); and receipts, warrants, and cases tried (October–November 1866).	
		May 1866–July 1868
	COLUMBUS (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i> The single volume of letters sent, June 1866–July 1868 (87), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. The volume also contains indentures of apprenticeship (April 1866–January 1868) that are arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (87)	June 1866–July 1868
	<i>Letters Received and a Register of Letters Received</i> The single volume of letters received and a register of letters received, March 1866–May 1868 (86), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. The letters received are dated March 1866–April 1868 and the register is dated April–May 1868.	
	Volume (86)	Mar. 1866–May 1868

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93	<i>Letters Received</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound letters received, March–July 1868, are arranged chronologically. Several letters are entered in the single volume of letters received and a register of letters received (86) mentioned above. However, most are not.	
		Mar.–July 1868
	<i>Circulars and Special Orders Received</i>	
	The single volume of circulars and special orders received, July 1865–March 1868 (88), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (88)	July 1865–Mar. 1868
	<i>Contracts</i>	
	The single volume of contracts, April 1866–November 1867 (89), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. The volume also includes a register of marriages dated May 1866–April 1868.	
	Volume (89)	Apr. 1866–Nov. 1867
	<i>Proceedings of Freedmen's Court</i>	
	The single volume of proceedings of Freedmen's Court, April–July 1866 (90), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (90)	Apr.–July 1866
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, April–October 1866 and September 1867, are arranged by type of record. The series includes a statement of accounts current (April 1866); affidavits (October 1866 and September 1867); and quarterly reports of schools (April–June 1866).	
		Apr.–Oct. 1866 and Sept. 1867
	COVINGTON (SUPERINTENDENT)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The two volumes of letters sent, May 1866–July 1868, 1 (92) and 2 (93), are arranged chronologically.	
	Volume 1 (92)	May–Dec. 1866
	Volume 2 (93)	Jan. 1867–July 1868
	<i>Endorsements Sent and Received</i>	
	The single volume of endorsements sent and received, January 1867–July 1868 (94), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (94)	Jan. 1867–July 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
93	<i>Letters Received</i>	
(cont.)	The single volume of letters received, December 1866–July 1868 (91), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (91)	Dec. 1866–July 1868
	<i>Register of Complaints</i>	
	The single-volume register of complaints, January–August 1866 (138), is arranged chronologically. The register also contains names of people applying for bounties and a register of letters received by the assistant disbursing officer at Louisville (January–April 1871), which is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (138)	Jan.–Aug. 1866
	<i>Accounts</i>	
	The single volume of accounts, January–April 1866 (95), is arranged chronologically. The volume also contains a list of men who applied for bounty claims (no date), which is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (95)	Jan.–Apr. 1866
94	CYNTHIANA (SUPERINTENDENT)	
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, March–July 1866, are arranged chronologically. The series includes orders and circulars received.	
		Mar.–July 1866
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, August–October 1866, are arranged by type of record. The series includes testimonies taken at cases tried August 1866 and marriage licenses (October 1866).	
		Aug.–Oct. 1866
	DANVILLE (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The three volumes of letters sent, June 1866–June 1868, 1 (100), 2 (101), and 3 (102), are arranged chronologically. Volume 3 (102) also contains a register of letters sent (August–September 1867), arranged in chronological order and numbered. This volume has a name index.	
	Volume 1 (100)	Feb.–June 1868
	Volume 2 (101)	Apr.–June 1868
	Volume 3 (102)	June 1866–Sept. 1867

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
94	<i>Registers of Letters Received and Endorsements Sent and Received</i>	
(cont.)	The four volumes of registers of letters received and endorsements sent and received, September 1866–July 1868, 1 (98), 2 (99), 3 (96), and 4 (97), are arranged chronologically. However, volume 3 (96), which is dated February–April 1868, overlaps in dates with the other registers and appears to include letters filed in the office. The other registers consist almost entirely of letters forwarded to other officers. For letters entered in register 3 (96), see the series of letters received February–April 1868 mentioned below.	
	Volume 1 (98)	Sept. 1866–Dec. 1867
	Volume 2 (99)	Dec. 1867–Apr. 1868
	Volume 3 (96)	Feb.–Apr. 1868
	Volume 4 (97)	Apr.–July 1868
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, February–April 1868, are arranged according to their entry in register (96) mentioned above.	
	PP10–PP254	Feb.–April 1868
95	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound unregistered letters received, January 1866–June 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Jan. 1866–June 1868
96	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, March 1862–June 1868, are arranged by type of record. The series includes orders received (March 1866–March 1868); monthly operations reports (July 1866–June 1868); monthly school reports (May 1866–June 1868); monthly reports of accounts current and receipts and expenditures (June 1866–January 1867); monthly reports of persons and articles hired (May 1866–June 1868); monthly returns of quartermaster stores received, issued, and remaining on hand (June 1866–June 1867); a list of grand and petit jurors (March 1862–67); a report of unfortunates among freedmen (June 1867); an affidavit (July 1867); a court statement (no date); and a labor contract (January 1866).	
		Mar. 1862–June 1868
	FALMOUTH (AGENT)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of letters sent, March 1867–June 1867 (85), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. The volume also contains letters received, February 1867, that are duplicated in volume (103) of letters and orders received September 1866–June 1867 mentioned below.	
	Volume (85)	Mar.–June 1867

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
96	<i>Letters and Orders Received</i>	
(cont.)	The single volume of letters and orders received, September 1866–June 1867 (103), is arranged chronologically by date received.	
	Volume (103)	Sept.–June 1867
	GEORGETOWN (AGENT)	
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, July 1866–June 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		July 1866–June 1867
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, June 1866–June 1867, are arranged by type of record. The series includes statistical reports of operations (June 1866–June 1867); reports of receipts and expenditures (June 1866–January 1867); monthly school reports by district superintendent (March 1867); and an affidavit (November 1866).	
		June 1866–June 1867
	GREENSBURG (SUPERINTENDENT AND CHIEF AGENT)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of letters sent, October 1866–February 1868 (104), is arranged chronologically. The volume also contains letters received (March–August 1867), arranged chronologically by date received, and a register of letters received (August 1867–January 1868), arranged chronologically by date received.	
	Volume (104)	Oct. 1866–Feb. 1868
	<i>Endorsements Sent and Received</i>	
	The single volume of endorsements sent and received, October 1866–February 1868 (105), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (105)	Oct. 1866–Feb. 1868
	HENDERSON (CHIEF SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of letters sent, March–July 1868 (109), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (109)	Mar.–July 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received and Endorsements Sent</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received and endorsements sent, March–July 1868 (107), is arranged in chronological order and numbered and has a name index.	
	Volume (107)	Mar.–July 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
97	<i>Letters Received</i> Unbound letters received, March–July 1868, are arranged according to their entry in the register in register of letters received and endorsements sent (107) mentioned above.	Mar.–July 1868
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i> Unbound unregistered letters received, February–July 1868, are arranged chronologically.	Feb.–July 1868
	HENDERSON (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i> The single volume of letters sent, April–September 1867 and January–July 1868 (110), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (110)	Apr.–Sept. 1867 and Jan.–July 1868
	<i>Endorsements Sent</i> The single volume of endorsements sent, April 1867–July 1868 (111), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (111)	Apr. 1867–July 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i> The single-volume register of letters received, April–May 1867 and January–July 1868 (108), is arranged chronologically by date received.	
	Volume (108)	Apr.–May 1867 and Jan.–July 1868
	<i>Letters Received</i> Unbound letters received, February–December 1866, August–October 1867, and January–July 1868, are arranged chronologically. Some of the letters are entered in the register of letters received (108) mentioned above.	
		Feb.–Dec. 1866, Aug.–Oct. 1867, and Jan.–July 1868
	<i>Register of Indentures</i> The single-volume register of indentures, January 1866–February 1868 (113), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. The volume also includes comments on the loyalty of certain parties in the area (February–March 1868) that are arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (113)	Jan. 1866–Feb. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
97	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound miscellaneous records, March 1866–July 1868, are arranged by type of record and thereunder chronologically. The series includes monthly statistical reports of operations (March–June 1866); monthly school reports (November 1867–July 1868); monthly reports of persons and articles hired (January 1867–June 1868); muster rolls of a detachment (April and June 1868); complaints (April 1868); and a receipt for money (May 1866).	May 1866–July 1868
	HODGINSVILLE (AGENT)	
	<i>Freedmen's Contracts</i>	
	The single volume of Freedmen's contracts, January 1866–June 1867 (106), is arranged by year and thereunder numerically. The volume also contains a register of complaints (March–December 1868), which was probably compiled at Louisville, Kentucky.	
	Volume (106)	Jan. 1866–June 1867 and Mar.–Dec. 1868
	LEBANON (SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of letters sent, March–July 1868 (117), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (117)	Mar.–July 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received, February–July 1868 (115), is arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent and thereunder chronologically. For letters received, see the unbound letters received, March–June 1868, mentioned below.	
	Volume (115)	Feb.–July 1868
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, March–June 1868, are arranged according to their entry in the register of letters received (115) mentioned above.	
		Mar.–June 1868
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound unregistered letters received, February–July 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Feb.–July 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
97	<i>Register of Letters Received Relating to Claims</i>	
(cont.)	The single-volume register of letters received relating to claims, March 1868 and June 1868 (114), is arranged chronologically. The register also contains two endorsements dated June 1868.	
	Volume (114)	Mar. 1868 and June 1868
	<i>Register of Claimants</i>	
	The single-volume register of claimants, May 1866–February 1868 (118), is arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname for 1866 and arranged generally in chronological order for 1867 and 1868.	
	Volume (118)	May 1866–Feb. 1868
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, February–June 1868, are arranged by type of record. The series includes reports of persons and articles hired (February–June 1868); school reports (February–June 1868); and reports of assaults committed on refugees and freedmen (June 1868).	
		Feb.–June 1868
98	LEBANON (DISBURSING OFFICER)	
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, August–December 1871, are arranged chronologically.	
		Aug.–Dec. 1871
	<i>Papers Relating to the Claim of John Spalding and Lists of Claimants</i>	
	Unbound papers relating to the claim of John Spalding and lists of claimants are dated 1871.	
		1871
	LEXINGTON (CHIEF SUPERINTENDENT AND CHIEF SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The four volumes of letters sent, February 1866–December 1868, 1 (122), 2 (123), 3 (124), and 4 (125), are arranged chronologically, and volume 1 (122) has a name index.	
	Volume 1 (122)	Feb.–Oct. 1866
	Volume 2 (123)	Oct. 1866–Nov. 1867
99	Volume 3 (124)	Nov. 1867–Sept. 1868
	Volume 4 (125)	Sept.–Dec. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
100	<i>Endorsements Sent</i> The five volumes of endorsements sent, February 1866–December 1868, 1 (127), 2 (128), 3 (129), 4 (130), and 5 (131), are arranged chronologically. Volume 2 (128) contains a name index to volumes 1 (127) and 2 (128).	
	Volume 1 (127)	Feb.–Sept. 1866
	Volume 2 (128)	Sept. 1866–Feb. 1867
	Volume 3 (129)	Feb.–Oct. 1867
101	Volume 4 (130) Volume 5 (131)	Oct. 1867–June 1868 June–Dec. 1868
	<i>Registers of Letters Received</i> The two volumes of registers of letters received, February 1866–December 1868, 1 (119) and 2 (120), are arranged in chronological order and numbered. There is a name index in volume 1 (119). For letters received, see the letters received, March 1866–December 1868, mentioned below.	
	Volume 1 (119)	Feb.–Dec. 1866
	Volume 2 (120)	Dec. 1866–Dec. 1868
102	<i>Letters Received</i> Unbound letters received, March 1866–December 1868, are arranged according to their entry in the registers of letters received, 1 (119) and 2 (120), mentioned above. Mar. 1866–Dec. 1868	
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i> Unbound unregistered letters received, February 1866–December 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Feb.–May 1866
103	<i>Unregistered Letters</i> (cont.)	June–Dec. 1866
104	<i>Unregistered Letters</i> (cont.)	Jan.–Aug. 1867
105	<i>Unregistered Letters</i> (cont.)	Sept. 1867–Feb. 1868
106	<i>Unregistered Letters</i> (cont.)	Mar.–Dec. 1868
	<i>General Orders Issued</i> The single volume of general orders issued, February–April 1866 (134), is arranged in chronological order and numbered. The volume also contains circulars issued (February 1866–January 1868), arranged by year and thereunder arranged numerically.	
	Volume (134)	Feb.–Apr. 1866

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
106	<i>Special Orders Issued</i>	
(cont.)	The single volume of special orders issued, March 1866–July 1868 (133), is arranged by year and thereunder numerically.	
	Volume (133)	Mar. 1866–July 1868
107	<i>General Orders, Special Orders, and Circulars Received</i>	
	Unbound general orders, special orders, and circulars received, August 1865–December 1868, are arranged by type of issuance and thereunder chronologically.	
		Aug. 1865–Dec. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports of Operations</i>	
	Unbound monthly reports of operations, February 1866–October 1868, are arranged chronologically. The series includes reports from subordinate officers and reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		Feb.–Dec. 1866
108	<i>Reports of Operations</i> (cont.)	Jan. 1867–Oct. 1868
109	<i>Monthly School Reports</i>	
	Unbound monthly school reports, May 1866–November 1868, are arranged chronologically. The series includes reports from subordinate officers and reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		May 1866–Nov. 1868
110	<i>Monthly Reports of Persons and Articles Hired</i>	
	Unbound monthly reports of persons and articles hired, March 1866–November 1868, are arranged chronologically. The series includes reports from subordinate officers and reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		Mar. 1866–July 1867
111	<i>Reports of Persons . . .</i> (cont.)	Aug. 1867–Nov. 1868
	<i>Reports of Receipts and Expenditures</i>	
	Unbound reports of receipts and expenditures, March 1866–April 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		Mar. 1866–Apr. 1867
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, December 1865–November 1868, are arranged by type of record. The series includes statistical reports of unfortunates (May–June 1866); reports of outrages to freedmen and Unionists (December 1865–November 1866); receipts for money (January 1866–November 1868); yearly return of medical and hospital property (December 1866); and court papers, affidavits, and statements (March 1866–June 1867).	
		Dec. 1865–Nov. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
112	LEXINGTON (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The two volumes of letters sent are dated June 1866–October 1867 and July 1868, 1 (123½) and 2 (126). Volume 1 (123½) covers the period October 1867–July 1868 and is arranged chronologically. Volume 2 (126) covers the period June 1866–September 1867 and is arranged in chronological order and numbered.	
	Volume 1 (123½)	Oct. 1867, Nov. 1867 and July 1868
	Volume 2 (126)	June 1866–Sept. 1867
	<i>Endorsements Sent</i>	
	The single volume of endorsements sent, July 1866–October 1867 (132), is arranged in chronological order and numbered.	
	Volume (132)	July 1866–Oct. 1867
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received, July 1866–October 1867 and July 1868 (121), is arranged in chronological order and numbered. For letters received, see the letters received (September 1866–September 1867) mentioned below.	
	Volume (121)	July 1866–Oct. 1867 and July 1868
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, September 1866–September 1867, are arranged in chronological order and numbered. The letters are registered in the register of letters received (121) mentioned above.	
		Sept. 1866–Sept. 1867
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound unregistered letters received, June 1866–October 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		June 1866–Oct. 1867
	<i>Register of Complaints</i>	
	The single-volume register of complaints, April–September 1866 (135), is arranged generally chronologically.	
	Volume (135)	Apr.–Sept. 1866
113	LOUISVILLE (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Press Copies of Letters Sent</i>	
	The two volumes of press copies of letters sent, July 1865–October 1867, 1 (139) and 2 (140), are arranged chronologically, and both volumes have name indexes.	
	Volume 1 (139)	July 1865–Aug. 1866

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
114	<i>Press Copies of Letters Sent</i> (cont.) Volume 2 (140)	Aug. 1866–Oct. 1867
	<i>Name Index</i> The single-volume name index (141½) is an index to the single-volume series of letters sent, July–December 1868 (141), mentioned below. Volume (141½)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i> The single volume of letters sent, July–December 1868 (141), is arranged chronologically. Volume (141)	July–Dec. 1868
	<i>Name Index</i> The single-volume name index, July–December 1868 (144), is a partial index to the two volumes of endorsements sent, August 1865–December 1868, 1 (142) and 2 (143), mentioned below. Volume (144)	July–Dec. 1868
	<i>Endorsements Sent</i> The two volumes of endorsements sent, 1 (142) and 2 (143), cover the period August 1865–December 1868. Volume 1 (142) is arranged in chronological order and numbered and has a name index. Volume 2 (143) is arranged chronologically. For a name index to volume 2 (143), see the single-volume name index (144) listed above. Volume 1 (142) Volume 2 (143)	Aug. 1865–July 1868 July 1868–Dec. 1868
	<i>Name Index</i> The single-volume name index, July–December 1868 (137½), is a partial index to the two volumes of registers of letters received, July–October 1865 and April 1866–December 1868, mentioned below. Volume (137½)	July–Dec. 1868
115	<i>Registers of Letters Received</i> The two volumes of registers of letters received, 1 (136) and 2 (137), cover the period July–October 1865 and April 1866–December 1868. Volume 1 (136) is arranged numerically and has a name index. Volume 2 (137) is arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent and thereunder arranged in chronological order and numbered. For a name index to Volume 2 (137), see the single-volume name index (137½) mentioned above; for the letters received, see the unbound letters received, August 1865–October 1868, mentioned below. Volume 1 (136) Volume 2 (137)	July–October 1865 and April 1866–July 1868 July–Dec. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
115	<i>Letters Received</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound letters received, August 1865–October 1868, are arranged according to their entry in the two volumes of registers of letters received, 1 (136) and 1 (137), mentioned above.	
	1–49	1865
	2–254	1866
116	2–604	Jan.–Dec. 1867
	8–359	Jan.–June 1868
	A2–T5	Aug.–Oct. 1868
117	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound unregistered letters received, July 1865–December 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		July 1865–Dec. 1867
118	<i>Unregistered Letters</i> (cont.)	Jan.–Dec. 1868
	<i>Special Orders Issued</i>	
	The single volume of special orders issued, April 1866–September 1868 (145), is arranged by year and thereunder numerically.	
	Volume (145)	Apr. 1866–Sept. 1868
	<i>General Orders, Special Orders, and Circulars Received</i>	
	Unbound general orders, special orders and circulars received, July 1865–November 1868, are arranged by type of order and thereunder chronologically.	
		July 1865–Nov. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports of Operations</i>	
	Unbound monthly reports of operations, March 1866–October 1868, are arranged chronologically. Included are reports from subordinate officers and reports to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		Mar. 1866–Oct. 1868
119	<i>Monthly School Reports</i>	
	Unbound monthly school reports, September 1866–November 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Apr.–June 1866 and Sept. 1866–Nov. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports of Persons and Articles Hired</i>	
	Unbound monthly reports of persons and articles hired, February 1867–December 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Feb. 1867–Dec. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
119	<i>Monthly Reports of Receipts and Expenditures</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound monthly reports of receipts and expenditures, March 1866–January 1867, are arranged chronologically. The reports are mainly from subordinate officers. Also included are a few reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		Mar. 1866–Jan. 1867
	<i>Registers of Complaints</i>	
	The two volumes of registers of complaints, January 1866–January 1867, 1 (151) and 2 (152), are arranged chronologically. The dates of the volumes overlap. Volume 1 (151) covers the period January–September 1866. Volume 2 (152) covers the period January 1866–January 1867.	
	Volume 1 (151)	Jan.–Sept. 1866
	Volume 2 (152)	Jan. 1866–Jan. 1867
	<i>Proceedings of Freedmen's Court</i> ("Minutes of Daily Proceedings")	
	The single volume of proceedings of Freedmen's Court ("Minutes of Daily Proceedings") is dated January–November 1867 (153), and is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (153)	Jan.–Nov. 1867
	<i>Affidavits and Records Relating to Complaints</i>	
	Unbound affidavits and records relating to complaints, September 1863 and 1865–67, are arranged by initial letter of the surname of the complainant.	
	A–B	1865–1867
120	C–S	1863 and 1866–1867
121	T–Y	1866–1867
	<i>Warrants Issued in Response to Freedmen's Complaints</i>	
	Unbound warrants issued in response to freedmen's complaints cover the period January–December 1866. Those covering the period January–December 1866 are arranged by initial letter of the surname. Warrants covering the period January–September 1866 are arranged numerically.	
	A–Y	Jan.–Dec. 1866
122	1–556	Jan.–Sept. 1866
123	<i>Freedmen's Contracts</i>	
	The single volume of Freedmen's contracts, January 1866–July 1867 (150), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (150)	Jan. 1866–July 1867

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
123	<i>Indentures</i>	
(cont.)	The single volume of indentures, January 1866–November 1867 and April–August 1866 (149), is arranged chronologically. The volume also contains special orders received, April–August 1866, that are arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (149)	Jan. 1866–Nov. 1867 and Apr.–Aug. 1866
	<i>Register of Applications Forwarded for Bounty Claims</i>	
	The single volume of applications forwarded for bounty claims, May 1866–June 1868 (147), is arranged chronologically and numbered.	
	Volume (147)	May 1866–June 1868
	<i>Register of Claimants for Bounties</i>	
	The single-volume register of claimants for bounties, August–December 1868 (148), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (148)	Aug.–Dec. 1868
	<i>Station Book of Officers in the Louisville Subdistrict</i>	
	The single-volume station book of officers in the Louisville subdistrict is undated and not arranged. The volume has a name index.	
	Volume (146)	No date
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records cover the period October 1865–October 1868 and are arranged by record type. The records include money receipts (June 1866–September 1868); affidavits and declarations (January 1866); bonds relating to freedmen (October 1865–May 1866); a promissory note (October 1868); a table of unfortunates among freedmen (September 1867); and reports of outrages and murders (December 1865–October 1866). Also included is a memorandum of condition of affairs in Lexington and central subdistricts of Kentucky (May 1866); a list of persons discharged from freedmen and refugee hospitals (July 1868); an opinion of the Board relating to clothing deficiencies in the return of the assistant surgeon (February 1867); and a list of persons refusing to pay taxes for the hospital (April 1866).	
		Oct. 1865–Oct. 1868
	MAYSVILLE (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER, MASON COUNTY)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The two volumes of letters sent, May 1866–July 1868, 1 (157) and 2 (158), are arranged chronologically. Following the letters in volume 1 (157) are circulars and special orders (January 1867–May 1868) that are arranged chronologically.	
	Volume 1 (157)	May–Dec. 1866
	Volume 2 (158)	Jan. 1867–July 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
123	<i>Registers of Letters Received</i>	
(cont.)	The three volumes of registers of letters received, 1 (154), 2 (155), and 3 (156), cover the period July 1866–July 1868. The volumes also include endorsements sent. Volumes 1 (154) and 2 (155) are arranged chronologically by date received. Volume 3 (156) is arranged in chronological order by the date received and numbered. The volumes have overlapping dates. Volume 2 (155) also contains a register of bounty claims, August–September (no year), that is arranged by the month the claim was forwarded. The volume also contains a register of “widows claims,” November 1866, that are arranged by the date the claim was forwarded.	
	Volume 1 (154)	July 1866–May 1867
	Volume 2 (155)	May–Dec. 1867
	Volume 3 (156)	Jan. 1867–July 1868
124	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, March 1866–December 1867, are arranged chronologically. Some of the letters are entered in the registers of letters received mentioned above, but most are not.	
		Mar. 1866–Dec. 1867
	<i>General Orders, Special Orders, and Circulars Received</i>	
	Unbound general orders, special orders, and circulars received, February 1866–December 1867, are arranged by type of order and thereunder chronologically.	
		Feb. 1866–Dec. 1867
	<i>Monthly Reports of Persons and Articles Hired</i>	
	Unbound monthly reports of persons and articles hired, May 1866–April 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		May 1866–Apr. 1868
	<i>Monthly School Reports</i>	
	Unbound monthly school reports, July 1866–April 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		July 1866–Apr. 1868
	<i>Monthly Returns of Quartermaster's Stores Received and Issued</i>	
	Unbound monthly returns of quartermaster's stores received and issued, June 1866–March 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		June 1866–Mar. 1868
	<i>Register of Complaints</i>	
	The single-volume register of complaints, May 1866–May 1867 (160), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (160)	May 1866–May 1867

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
124	<i>Register of Claimants</i>	
(cont.)	The single-volume register of claimants, September 1866–July 1868 (159), is arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the claimant. The register gives the name and address of the claimant, whether he was “loyal” or “disloyal,” and the date of the report proving his loyalty. Claimants are white citizens.	
	Volume (159)	Sept. 1866–July 1868
125	<i>Monthly Returns of Receipts and Expenditures</i>	
	Unbound monthly returns of receipts and expenditures, March 1866–March 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		Mar. 1866–Mar. 1867
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, June 1866–March 1868, are arranged by type of record. The records include receipt rolls of clothing issued (February–March 1868); reports of accounts current (June 1866–February 1867); a list of stores received from the quartermaster (January 1868); and a list of unfortunates among the freedmen (May 1867).	
		June 1866–Mar. 1868
	MT. STERLING (SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The three volumes of letters sent, June 1866–July 1868, 1 (161), 2 (162), and 3 (163), are arranged chronologically. The volumes have overlapping dates.	
	Volume 1 (161)	June–July 1866 and June 1866–Apr. 1868
	Volume 2 (162)	June 1866–Mar. 1867
	Volume 3 (163)	Apr. 1867–July 1868
	<i>Register of Contracts</i>	
	The single-volume register of contracts, January–July 1866 (166), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (166)	Jan.–July 1866
	<i>Marriage Certificates</i>	
	The two volumes of marriage certificates, 1 (164) and 2 (165), are dated 1866. Volume 1 (164) covers the period February–April 1866, is arranged chronologically, and has a name index. The certificates in Volume 2 (165) are not notated with specific dates, and are unarranged. The volume also includes a divorce certificate (October 1866) and a register of marriages dated October 1866–May (no date) that is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume 1 (164)	Feb.–Apr. 1866
	Volume 2 (165)	1866

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
125	<i>Monthly Returns of Quartermaster's Stores Received and Issued</i> (cont.) Unbound monthly returns of quartermaster's stores received and issued, June 1866–June 1868, are arranged chronologically.	June 1866–June 1868
	<i>Freedmen's Contracts</i> The single volume of freedmen's contracts (167) is dated January 1867.	
	Volume (167)	Jan. 1867
	NICHOLASVILLE (AGENT)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i> The single volume of letters sent, November 1866–October 1867 (168), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (168)	Nov. 1866–Oct. 1867
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i> Unbound unregistered letters received, April 1866–July 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		Apr. 1866–July 1867
126	<i>Special Orders and Circulars Received</i> Unbound special orders and circulars received, March 1866–June 1867, are arranged by type of order and thereunder arranged chronologically and numbered.	
		Mar. 1866–June 1867
	<i>Monthly Statistical Reports of Operations</i> Unbound monthly statistical reports of operations, May 1866–October 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		May 1866–Oct. 1867
	<i>Monthly School Reports</i> Unbound monthly school reports, January–November 1867 are arranged chronologically.	
		Jan.–Nov. 1867
	<i>List of Claimants</i> The single-volume list of claimants (169) is not dated and is arranged by type of list. The volume also contains loose copies of indentures (September–October 1865, May–June 1866, and February and May 1867) that are not arranged.	
	Volume (169)	No dates

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
126	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound miscellaneous records, April 1866–April 1867, are arranged by type of record. The records include cases tried (April–November 1866); receipts and expenditures (July and December 1866); monthly return of quartermaster's stores (June 1866); and an affidavit (April 1867).	
		Apr. 1866–Apr. 1867
	OWENSBORO (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Press Copies of Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of press copies of letters sent, October 1866–May 1868 (172), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (172)	Oct. 1866–May 1868
127	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of letters sent, April 1867–July 1868 (173), is arranged chronologically and has a name index..	
	Volume (173)	Apr. 1867–July 1868
	<i>Endorsements Sent</i>	
	The single volume of endorsements sent, April 1867–July 1868 (174), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (174)	Apr. 1867–July 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received, January 1867–June 1868 (170), is arranged chronologically. For a register of letters received at Owensboro dated June–July 1868, see the single-volume register of letters sent and received, January–July 1867 (80), by the subassistant commissioner for Brandenburg.	
	Volume (170)	Jan. 1867–June 1868
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, January 1867–May 1868, are arranged in chronological order by date received and numbered. The letters are entered in the register of letters received (170) mentioned above.	
		Jan. 1867–May 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received by Endorsement</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received by endorsement, April 1867–July 1868 (171), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (171)	Apr. 1867–July 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
127	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound unregistered letters received, May 1866–July 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		May 1866–July 1868
128	<i>Marriage Certificates Issued</i>	
	Unbound marriage certificates issued, June 1866–August 1868, are arranged by year and thereunder by initial letter of the surname of the family.	
		June 1866–Aug. 1868

Miscellaneous Records

Unbound miscellaneous records, October 1865–July 1868, are arranged by type of record. The records include affidavits (October 1865 and January 1868), and monthly reports of persons and articles hired (March–July 1868).

Oct. 1865–July 1868

PADUCAH (CHIEF SUPERINTENDENT AND CHIEF SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)

Letters Sent

The three volumes of letters sent, April 1866–December 1868, 1 (176), 2 (177), and 3 (178), are arranged chronologically, and each volume has a name index.. Volume 3 (178) also includes letters sent (September–December 1868) by V. H. Echorn, superintendent of schools of the Western District, which are interfiled with other letters in the volume.

Volume 1 (176)	Apr. 1866–Jan. 1868
Volume 2 (177)	Jan. 1868–Aug. 1868
Volume 3 (178)	Sept.–Dec. 1868

Endorsements Sent and Received

The single volume of endorsements sent and received, April 1866–November 1868 (180), is arranged by endorsements sent and endorsements received and thereunder chronologically. The volume has a name index.

Volume (180)	Apr. 1866–Nov. 1868
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Register of Letters Received

The single-volume register of letters received, April 1866–December 1868 (175), is arranged in chronological order by the date it was received and numbered. The volume has a name index.

Volume (175)	Apr. 1866–Dec. 1868
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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
129	<i>Letters Received</i> Unbound letters received, April 1866–December 1868, are arranged in chronological order and numbered. The letters are registered in the single-volume register of letters received (175) mentioned above.	Apr. 1866–Dec. 1868
130	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i> Unbound unregistered letters received, April 1866–October 1868, are arranged chronologically.	Apr. 1866–Oct. 1868
	<i>General Orders, Special Orders, and Circulars Issued</i> The single volume of orders, special orders, and circulars issued, April 1866–November 1868 (182), is arranged by type of issuance, thereunder by year, and thereunder numerically. The volume does not include all types of issuances for all time periods.	
	Volume (182)	Apr. 1866–Nov. 1868
	<i>General Orders, Special Orders, and Circulars Received</i> Unbound general orders, special orders, and circulars received, April 1866–December 1868, are arranged by type of document and thereunder chronologically.	
		Apr. 1866–Dec. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports of Operations</i> Unbound monthly reports of operations, April 1866–April 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		Apr. 1866–Apr. 1867
131	<i>Monthly Reports of Operations Received from Subordinate Offices</i> Unbound monthly reports of operations received from subordinate offices, March 1866–November 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Mar. 1866–Nov. 1868
	<i>Monthly School Reports</i> Unbound monthly school reports, April 1866–November 1868, are arranged chronologically. These are reports from subordinate officers and reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		Apr. 1866–Nov. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports Received from Subordinate Offices of Persons and Articles Hired</i> Unbound monthly reports received from subordinate offices of persons and articles hired, April 1866–November 1868, are arranged chronologically. Reports to the Assistant Commissioner (September 1866–April 1867) are at the end of the series.	
		Apr. 1866–Nov. 1868

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MICROFILM PUBLICATIONS

ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
131	<i>Returns of Stores Received and Issued</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound returns of stores received and issued, June–December 1866, are arranged chronologically. The returns included those from subordinate offices and those sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	June–Dec. 1866
132	<i>Monthly Reports of Receipts and Expenditures</i>	
	Unbound monthly reports of receipts and expenditures, May 1866–February 1867, are arranged chronologically. The series includes monthly reports from subordinate offices and reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	May 1866–Feb. 1867
	<i>Complaints, Affidavits, and Evidence Relating to Court Cases</i>	
	Unbound complaints, affidavits, and evidence relating to court cases, April–December 1866, are arranged by type of record.	Apr.–Dec. 1866
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, April 1866–July 1867, are arranged by document type. They include estimates for buildings (April–July 1866); a report of persons murdered or maltreated relating to freedmen (December 1865–October 1866); and tables showing the number of unfortunates among freedmen (April 1866–July 1867). The records also contain marriage certificates issued and a list of marriages as recorded in Paducah (April 1866); vouchers issued relating to services performed for the Bureau (April 1866); and abstracts of articles purchased and expended (April 1866).	Apr. 1866–July 1867
	PADUCAH (SUPERINTENDENT, CHIEF AGENT, AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER, MCCrackEN COUNTY)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of letters sent, April 1866–July 1868 (179), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (179)	Apr. 1866–July 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received and Endorsements Sent</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received, February–May 1867, and endorsements sent, December 1866–January 1867 (181), is arranged by type of record and thereunder chronologically. The volume also includes a register of civil cases tried at the freedmen's court at Paducah (September 1865–May 1866).	
	Volume (181)	Feb.–May 1867 and Dec. 1866–Jan. 1867
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound unregistered letters received, August 1865–July 1868, are arranged chronologically.	Aug. 1865–July 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
132	<i>Circulars and Orders Received</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound circulars and orders received, July 1865–March 1866, are arranged chronologically.	July 1865–Mar. 1866
	<i>Register of Contracts with Freedmen at Paducah</i>	
	The single-volume register of contracts with freedmen at Paducah, September 1865–January 1868 (183), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (183)	Sept. 1865–Jan. 1868
	<i>Register of Complaints</i>	
	The single-volume register of complaints, September 1865–October 1868 (184), is arranged in general chronological order.	
	Volume (184)	Sept. 1865–Oct. 1868
	<i>Abstracts of Rations Received and Issued</i>	
	Unbound abstracts of rations received and issued, February–August 1867, are arranged chronologically.	Feb.–Aug. 1867
133	PADUCAH (SUPERINTENDENT—SEE COLUMBUS)	
	PARIS (AGENT)	
	<i>Freedmen's Contracts</i>	
	The single volume of freedmen's contracts, March–July 1866 (185), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (185)	Mar.–July 1866
	RUSSELLVILLE (SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of letters sent, March–June 1868 (187), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (187)	Mar.–June 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received, March–May 1868 (186), is arranged in chronological order by the date received and numbered. The volume has a name index.	
	Volume (186)	Mar.–May 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
133 (cont.)	<i>Registered Letters Received</i> Unbound registered letters received February–May 1868, are arranged in chronological order and numbered. The letters are registered in the register of letters received (186) mentioned above.	Feb.–May 1868
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i> Unbound unregistered letters received, October 1867–June 1868, are arranged chronologically.	Oct. 1867–June 1868
	<i>Complaints</i> The single-volume register of complaints, August–September 1866 (188), is arranged in two subseries and thereunder chronologically.	
	Volume (188)	Aug.–Sept. 1866
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i> Unbound miscellaneous records, August 1866 and March–May 1868, are arranged by type of record. The records include reports of schools (March–May 1868); a monthly report of persons and articles hired (March 1868); a monthly report of operations (March 1868); and affidavits (August 1866 and May 1868).	
		Aug. 1866 and Mar.–May 1868
	SMITHLAND (AGENT)	
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i> The single-volume register of letters received, ca. March 1866–June 1867 (191), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. The volume also contains letters sent and received (March 1866–June 1867), arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (191)	Mar. 1866–June 1867
	STANFORD (AGENT)	
	<i>Letters Sent and Received</i> The single volume of letters sent and received, March–November 1867 (189), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (189)	Mar.–Nov. 1867
	<i>Letters Received</i> The single volume of letters received, November 1866–October 1867 (190), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. The series also includes orders received.	
	Volume (190)	Nov. 1866–Oct. 1867

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
133 (cont.)	VERSAILLES (AGENT)	
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, August 1866–November 1867, are arranged chronologically.	Aug. 1866–Nov. 1867
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, August 1866–October 1867, are arranged by type of record. The records include reports of operations (January–October 1867); school reports of the district superintendent (February–September 1867); and reports of persons and articles hired (August 1866–September 1867).	Aug. 1866–Oct. 1867
	WINCHESTER (SUPERINTENDENT)	
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received, June 1866–January 1867 (192), is arranged chronologically by date received.	
	Volume (192)	June 1866–Jan. 1867
	<i>Marriage Certificates</i>	
	The single volume of marriage certificates, February–September 1866 (193), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (193)	Feb.–Sept. 1866
	<i>Contracts</i>	
	The single volume of contracts, January–June 1866 (194), is arranged in general chronological order. There are also some loose contracts in the volume. The volume also contains bounty requests (February–April 1866) arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (194)	Jan.–June 1866

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RECORDS OF THE FIELD OFFICES FOR THE STATE OF
KENTUCKY, BUREAU OF REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND
ABANDONED LANDS, 1865-1872

ROLL 40

OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER
CORRESPONDENCE

Letters Received

A1-H116

1869

1869.

Pond Harbor Ky.
Dec 31, 1868

Alexander S. S.

Endorse hereon receipt for
Check No 2520. for 15
Dollars for Nov 1868

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1869

Recd. A. S. S. Ky Jan 1-1869

Ky.,

1868.

Received from Bvt. Col. BEN. P. RUNKLE.
U. S. A., Major 45th Inf., Chief Disbursing Officer
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
State of Kentucky, 15 Dollars
and Cents, by Check No. 2520
on U. S. Depositary, Louisville, Kentucky.

Witness:

Thomas G. Alexander,
James H. Hester,

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky., Dec 14 1868.

*Miss Mary Ann
Barnes*

I have the honor to enclose herewith Check

No. *322* on the U. S. Depositary at Louisville, Ky., for \$ *50.00*

in payment of your account for *rent*

Please acknowledge receipt of the same.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Wm R. Runkle

*Maj. 45th U. S. Inf., Bvt. Col. U. S. Army,
Disbursing Officer, State of Kentucky.*

Chas. L. Foster

Jan 1 1869.

Sumter Ky Dec 31 68

Andrew Stewart

Receipt for Check
#2515 for \$15 paid for
Nov 1868

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 1/69

Ky.,

1868.

Received from Bvt. Col. BEN. P. RUNKLE.
U. S. A., Major 45th Inf., Chief Disbursing Officer
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands.
State of Kentucky, 15 Dollars
and 00 Cents, by Check No. ,
on U. S. Depositary, Louisville, Kentucky.

Witness:

Andrew Stewart

Placed in my hands

by the U. S. A.

for the purpose of

paying the same

to the U. S. A.

for the purpose of

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky., Dec 18. 1868.

1
George C. Ludlow
Miss

I have the honor to enclose herewith Check

No. 3345 on the U. S. Depositary at Louisville, Ky., for \$ 15.00

in payment of your account for Dec 1868.

Please acknowledge receipt of the same.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Benjamin R. Runnels

Maj. 45th U. S. Inf., Bvt. Col. U. S. Army,
Disbursing Officer, State of Kentucky.

To the Hon. Sec. of War

"H" Vol 1. 1869.

Washington Dec 26. 68

Alfred J. W.
Genl Supdt Schools

Transmits copy of letter
to Mr Logan by the a.s.g.
relative to authorized in-
structions in regard

to Freedmen's Schools
File

Not re copy as
sent away through
Asst Commr

Recd A. S. O. K. Jan 4. 1869

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,

OFFICE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT SCHOOLS.

Washington, D. C., Dec 21st 1865

Mr. T. A. Smith

Supt. Col. Education

Dear Sir:

Enclosed I forward to you

a copy of a letter to Mr. Lyon, by Mr. A. H. Gent, which con-
tains the authorized instruction in every case where it is
to be charged as per teachers of 30 or more pupils.
I am directed to advise you that if you will make the ex-
perience of teachers and scholars, attached to with the ac-
tion of the school, I am directed to leave your discretion,
I am directed to let you sign the letter, I am directed to let you
sign the letter, I am directed to let you sign the letter, and
forward it with any other papers you may wish.

Yours, Sir,

J. W. Alvord

Dec 21st 1865

At C. O. 1 1869

Henderson Ky
Jan'y 9. 69

Alexander Louisa L
Teacher

Asks if the Bureau
will increase her rent
from \$15 to \$23 per
month —

Granted from Feb 1-69

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 10-1869

Bureau S. J. H. N. T.
Asst Commr Office Ky
Louisville Ky Jan'y 29. 69

Respectfully referred to
Det Capt A. Benson Brown
Asst Supt Education
for remarks.

This letter to be returned

Order of
Det Capt J. L. Smith
Levi F. Burnett

East 76 Det Capt H. J. G. G.
109 " " " " " "

Bureau R. S. & J. Sands.
1869. 10. Det. Supt. Ed.
Louisville 16. Feb 4. 69

Respectfully returned. I have recom-
mended this on three previous occasions, and
now have leave to urge it again.

Albion Brown
1543 1st St. B. S. O. Ky
Det. S. O. 4. Det. Supt. Ed.

Recd back A. S. O. Ky Feb 16-1869

Louisa L. Alexander
908 Ken. Avenue N.Y.
1. 14. 68 F.
Will be Bureau be
willing to increase —
Salary. School Board
has encountered some
difficulty.

Respectfully referred
to Chief J. H. Noble
Sup. of Ed. for
answer.

E. M. Crockett
Sms

Bureau R. H. Co's
Office for the
Lansdale & Co's

Respectfully referred to Mr.
Capt. Geo. B. Barnes
Adapted Mr. R. H. Co's
Adapted for the

Henderson Ky. Jan 9. 1868
Rev. E. M. Crockett,
I am now teaching
in Henderson and am obliged
to pay Rent for School room
will you be so kind as to
inform me whether the
Bureau will be willing
to increase my Salary
from fifteen. to twenty
five. Dollars per month.
I have been teaching here
only one week. my School
during the Winter will
be quite small as most
of the Children are employed
in the Tobacco Factory
and the amount paid
me by the Children
each month will not
be sufficient to pay

my board and rent. For
Scholarship, if I do not receive
some assistance I expect I will
be obliged to give up this
School; I have met with
some considerable trouble
since last September;

I taught for a short
time at Mayfield, Ky;
the Ku Klux. closed my
School there, and said
if I taught there another
day they would return
and take my seat;
so I thought best to leave
there, I was then sent by
Capt Brown, to take the
School at Benharbor, there
was not enough children
there for a School, then
I was sent to Henderson,
and I would like to remain

here if I can receive enough
to justify me in doing so;
I have been obliged to spend
all that I have received from
the Bureau since I came down
for Board and Traveling
expenses; Please answer;

Yours Respectfully,
Levin, L. Alexander,

Sp - S

Please send me
the St. Louis Shipman.

4. 13 Dec 1. 1869

Isaaciah Ky
Feb 8 1869

Armstrong W. H.

Forwards list of names
of claimants with cer-
tificates sent Commr
Bureau of Ind. & L. when
money has not been recd

W. H. Armstrong

1869

Recd A. L. O. Ky Feb 10-1869

Original	Name of Applicant	Residence	P.O. Address
495-370	Tony McCall father	4th Ky Chh	Pulaski Ky
478.131	Toney Sanders A	"	Pulaski "
495-376	Simon Pitchett "	"	" "
478.137	George Loving B	"	" "
495-398	Thomas Williams K	"	" "
495-385	Samuel Loggins L	"	" "
495-361	Granville Duval K	"	" "
495-375	Lacy Jane Cooper A	"	" "
45-3,560	Betty Green mother	8 8th Ky Chh	" "
443996	George Thompson B	"	" "
443991	James Bacon "	"	" "
443992	George Howard "	"	" "
443993	Richard McClure "	"	" "
443994	Margaret Foster G	"	" "
"	Daniel McSpoke D	"	" "
45-3,568	Pray Whitmore B	"	" "
45-3,567	"	"	" "
45-3,568	Dorothy Higgins "	"	" "
45-3,612	St. H. H. J. Thomas G	"	" "
462221	Verdell D. D. D. "	"	" "
476,927	Margaret D. D. D. L	"	" "
476,924	John D. D. D. "	"	" "
453,570	Charles D. D. D. "	"	" "
453,558	Dorothy D. D. D. G	"	" "
454,763	William D. D. D. A	"	" "
445,045	John D. D. D. B	"	" "
445,699	Isadora D. D. D. B	"	" "
453,557	Allen D. D. D. G	"	" "

No. 1

Certificates sent to B. & B. Bureau (F. B. I.)
for payment in which money has not been
found -

Certificate	Name of Claimant	Amount	Payable to	Payable at	Remarks
462,255-	King Colley	5	5th Regt	Paducah Ky	X
445-751	William Jones	5	"	"	X
453,555-	Edgar Deane	8	"	"	X
453,563	Jane Thomas mother of Washington	"	"	"	X
453,564	" " "	"	"	"	"

A. M. Oct 1. 1869

Henderson Ky
Feby 8. 69

Alexander S. S.
Teacher

Says she has not
received vouchers
for rent &c &c

Rent charged to Alexander
Feb 1/69 via W. S. Park

Recd A. S. O. Ky Feb 12-1869

Wilmington, Dec. 3, 1862;
 Col. R. B. Hunkler.
 Louisville, Ky.

I have not
 received my voucher
 yet for the month of
 January. I received my
 blank for report the
 twentieth second of Jan
 and sent it to you the
 tenth third of January
 please send my voucher
 immediately as I am
 very much in need
 of some money at
 present.

Yours respectfully
 Wm. W. Alexander

Petersburg Ky
March 6. 1869

Alden Johns

Asks aid from
the Bureau to help
them sustain a
School - &c &c

Grand #5—

✓ \$5 - granted Jan April 1-1909

Recd A. B. O. Ky March 22/69

The School District of said town
 has the honor to inform you that we
 have the honor to have a school for the benefit
 of the children of the town and we have some
 advantages for it we have had a school building
 at our own expense further we have a school
 that there were some amount of money
 in the treasury to be distributed out to
 the children but we are willing to help
 the children and school all for all we can do
 though we are not a school at all the
 school a school there are willing
 but we are willing to help the
 school for the school willing to help
 by the school there are 25 children in
 the school two dollars per month
 for the school for the school
 of per month a school (besides the school)
 said school has been in the school
 ever since the January 1st 1841 you will
 be the first to be the first

of the papers which are all
 our property of the school which will
 be sent on to the school as soon as the
 trustees have been dealt with and have
 our help that they will be satisfactory
 to the school & others if you wish
 we must be at the school before
 noon.

Yours

W. H. H.

A. 31-201-1-1869
New York Aug 15 1869

Treasury Receipt
By W. G. White.

Receipt of Cash
Paid - G. W. Ballou,
for \$5456.⁵⁰.



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United States Treasury.

New York, Aug 18 1869

Sir:

I have received your
favor of the 16th inst enclosing
chk #6495 G. H. Ballou for \$5,458⁰⁰
(Fifty four hundred and fifty eight & ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars)

which amount has been placed to the credit of your
disbursing account on the books of this office.

Very respectfully yours,

W. M. White

Acting Assistant Treasurer.

Per. Cd. A. J. Runtle
D. C.

A. 3-2. vol - 1 - 569

New York. Aug 26 1869

White H. G.

Actg. Asst Secy

Edw. B. Westcott

for \$1019.⁴⁰ State that

it has been placed to

Col. Runkle's Credit

File



140 United States Treasury.

New York, August 26 1869

Sir:

I have received your
favor of the 24th inst enclosing
Order on this Office for \$ 1019 ⁴⁰/₁₀₀
Ten hundred and nineteen ⁴⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars

which amount has been placed to the credit of your
disbursing account on the books of this office.

Very respectfully yours,

W. C. Whitte

Asst. Benjamin F. Furbush Jr. Assistant Treasurer.
Lowville

N. Y.

33 Mt - 1889

New York Sept. 3. 1889

White. W. G.

Asst Sec. of War

ack receipt of draft for

\$4,000.00 per. of Geo. W.

Ballou.

File

United States Treasury.

New York, Sept 3rd 1869

Sir:

I have received your
favor of the 31st August enclosing
the check of Geo N Bullock attested for \$4042.84

Four thousand & forty two ⁴/₁₀₀ only

which amount has been placed to the credit of your
disbursing account on the books of this office.

Very respectfully yours,

W. G. Miller

Assistant Treasurer.

Alfred I. Rankin

D. D. M. H.

A. 37. 2nd - 1-1869

New York Oct 6 69

Best Treas

Acts receipt of four
(4) checks, amounting to
\$ 1207.01



United States Treasury.

New York, Oct 6 1869

Sir:

I have received your
favor of the 7th Inst enclosing
4 checks as stated for \$1,207.01

Seven hundred & seven $\frac{01}{100}$ dollars

which amount has been placed to the credit of your
disbursing account on the books of this office.

D

Very respectfully yours,

W. G. McKim

Col Ben J. Rumrill, Acting Assistant Treasurer.

D. G. V.

A 39-24-169

New York Oct 14 1869

Act Treasurer

By W. G. White
adg re

Act receipt of draft
for \$ 2733.69



United States Treasury.

New York, Oct 14 1869

Sir:

I have received your
favor of the 12th *Inst* enclosing
Geo W. Bullock ch #170 for \$2,733.69

which amount has been placed to the credit of your
disbursing account on the books of this office.

D

Very respectfully yours,

W. G. Miller

W. G. Miller Assistant Treasurer.

Wm. P. Runke

S. O. Key

A. 38-204-1-67

U. S. Treasury,

New York. Oct. 12. 1869

White N. Y.

Act Asst. Secy

Accts recpt of Balloch
draft. #7065. for
\$ 253.96

Copy sent Asst
Treasurer Jan 26. 70



United States Treasury.

New York, Oct 12th 1869

Sir:

I have received your
favor of the 9th Inst enclosing
Geo.^m Bullard ch # 7065. for \$253.96

Two hundred & fifty three ⁹⁶ /100 only

which amount has been placed to the credit of your
disbursing account on the books of this office.

D

Very respectfully yours,

W. G. White

Acting

Assistant Treasurer.

Attest Ben. P. Runkle

D. D. re Ky

A41, Feb 1 - 1830

Collection of

up in school building
the same is made up
of the same as before
the same, or at least
the same as before

File

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Nov
25

Office

Received of

June 23 1892

for

the sum of

the sum of \$100.00 in full for the
 balance of the account of the
 21st of May 1892 and the interest
 which has since been added to the

Respectfully yours,
 J. M. H. H. H.

by J. M. H. H. H.

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Cincinnati Dec 31st 1868

Beckley W. S.

Says he has not received
his Check asks to have
the payment of check stop-
ped and duplicate sent to
him.

See 31st + 11th 1868

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1869

Recd A. S. C. Jan 4th 1869

Cin. Ohio. Dec 31st 1868

Mr. Hunter

Yours of the 28th
just received. I have made
inquiries at the Post Office
But the check or letter
that should have been
there was not. I have
made all the inquiries
that is possible but no
letter can I get please
have the payment of
the check stopped and
send me a duplicate
check and oblige

Yours

W. S. Beckley
727 Race Street Cincinnati
Ohio

W. S. Beckley

As you requested
when you were here, your
check was cashed here at
The Depository, and Mr High
enclosed to your address
as he understood you to
give it to him 25\$ in
money - There are the facts
as I know them -

H. A. Hunter

N 65. Vol 1 1869

Metamora Ind
Jan'y 14. 69
High E. M.

Reports the
way Mr Beckleys
money was sent
to him, to Cin-
cinnati Ohio

In D. S. 1869
" B 1 "

Recd A. B. C. Ky Jan 14/69

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Wilmington Indiana
Jan'y 14th 1868,

Colonel Runkles.

In accordance with request contained in letter from Mr. Baues, dated Jan'y 12th 68 - for information concerning the Beckley affair. I have to say that I am surprised the letter was not found at Cincinnati, O. I can only say that a check on U.S.D. for Ky. for Mr. Beckley, was received at C. S. A., Comm. Office, Gen. Dist. Ky. about the middle of Decr 1867, at the time of the general payment; that Dr. Hunter got the checks of Beckley and Taliaferro - amounting to \$50.00 if I recollect right cashed, gave the money to me

to mail to the parties - I sent \$10.⁰⁰
by Meath. (I think it was Meath) is
an old request, named in a letter
from Taliferro - See. L. R. Lee West -
and mailed the balance to Taliferro -
I mailed Mr Beckley's money to
him. at the address I had received
from him. and which at the time
was and perhaps now is, on a slip
of paper in my desk.

At the same time I mailed
Checks, vouchers & circulars to all
the school Teachers in Central Dist.
outside of Louisville Ky.

The mail matter was
taken to the office in 2 packages
at different times - the first at
or about 1. P. M. - the other after

office hours - I don't recollect which
of the messengers carried the mail
that day. This is all the information

I can give relative to the matter.

With assurance of regard
I am very respy.
Edw. M. High

P.S. I have received my orders
for transportation. The officers
at Washington D.C. made a mistake
and sent me over the wrong road
which however will be corrected and I need
never take me home.

C. M. H.

25th 1869

Cincinnati, Ohio
Jan'y 12, 1869

Thomas C. M.

Post Master

Says there is no
letter in that office
for Wm S. Beckley
nor has it been
advertised —

See H. 65, 1869

" B 1 69

Recd A. L. O. by Jan 7 - 1869

Post-Office, Cincinnati, O.

May 15th 1860

Prof. J. T. Moore
P.O. Box, N.Y.C.

My dear Sir,
I have just received from you of 11th inst. a letter
concerning the book, "The Life of the
Lord in the Christian Church," which
you have advertised for sale. The book has
been a volume of three months
long, for the year, and has
already sold in England a check
of £1000.

Yours truly,
A. A. Wood
For

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Louisville Jan 1. 1869

Brown A Benson

Det Capt

Towards requisition for
forage and vouchers in
favor of Jno A Meyer
for same amt

12 Encl.

Recd A. b. O. 4 Jan 4 - 1869

Bureau of Food & Land
Louisville Ky. 1st January 1869.

Col. R. P. Ancker USA
Chief of Staff to the Regt.
of Cavalry.

I have the honor to transmit Requisitions and Vouchers
in duplicate for one Forage ration purchased for the use of one private
Horse used in the execution of my duties, as directed by last
Comm^d Letter dated 12th October 1868.

Very Respectfully, Yr Obedt Servant.

H. Benson Brown
1st Lt 4th Ill. Bract Regt.
Chief Clerk 2nd Com.

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Amstos Jan 1. 69

Brown Mrs Julia A.

Says there has been a
mistake made in regard
to her name. Says
Margaret Hayes owns
the building occupied
by her as teacher &c

Recd A. B. C. of Jan 4/07

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Columbia Jan 2. 69

Bradshaw. Tim,

Forwards the following
list of claims allowed.

Letitia Miller mo of
W. H. Miller Co. E. 120. CS
\$296.76.

Ann Alexander mo of
Caleb Frazier, Co H 107.
\$246.64

Jonathan Caver, fa of
Lucy Caver Co H 107 CS

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 5-1869

MAR 4

Columbia Kentucky
January 2nd 1869

Genl B P Runkle

Lancaster Pa

Dear Sir

I send you the following list the
best I can get from the agents
Julia Miller Mother of J. H. Miller of
Co E 125 Regt USCT \$296.76

Ann Alexander Mother of Calebrazier
Co H 107 USCT \$226.64

Houstonian Conover Mother of Lemmy Conover
Co H 107 Regt USCT

The above is as correct a list as I can get
in this mode let me know and I will try again
I wish you would send out Mr. J. Draper Cheek
as he is in need of it and he holds to as you to
furnish it on as you stand so must be up to
attend to if not contrary with your rules
it should like to hear from you can or
will send a man out to pay the list of Claims
off in Adams Co.

If you will let me know
what time you would be in our town I
would have any one notified or have them
on hand.

I will say they are in great need
of their money & have been selling them a
good many goods they want a good many more

But I don't like to take to much notice on any
one of them

Some of them comes & says they want
a little money to buy a little Corn or Pork or if
they can borrow 10 or 12 if they can, and then a home
by paying it much down & if I was to let all that
comes ^{have} I would soon let out all the money & go
I have out I hope you will be our land soon
Respectfully yours

Tim Bradshaw

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Bardonia Jan 3rd 69
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Beach Anthony,
Carpenter.

Towards Bill of
Carpenter work and ma-
terials used in repairing
Frederick School at
Bardonia amounting to \$35⁰⁰

Recd A. L. O. of Jan 5 1869

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Asst Commis Office Ky
Louisville Jan 13. 69

Respectfully referred
to Chap. T. K. Noble Asst
Supt Schools Louisville
Ky - for investigation
& report whether
the work has been
done

By order of

Attest Ben P. Runkle
Levi F. Runkle
Bk Capt & a
a a agent

End 27 1/2

1. 100 lbs. of tobacco
 2. 100 lbs. of sugar
 3. 100 lbs. of coffee
 4. 100 lbs. of butter
 5. 100 lbs. of lard

2 30 00
 12 00
 3 00
 3 30 00

Many thanks, Robert

House is 30 by 40 ft.

1. 100 lbs. of tobacco
 2. 100 lbs. of sugar
 3. 100 lbs. of coffee
 4. 100 lbs. of butter
 5. 100 lbs. of lard

Committee

1. 100 lbs. of tobacco
 2. 100 lbs. of sugar
 3. 100 lbs. of coffee
 4. 100 lbs. of butter
 5. 100 lbs. of lard
 1869

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Patucok Ky Dec 31. 68

Brown & Beason

But Capt &c

Forwards receipt of
Checks acknowledged
by Persons in the Western
Dist Ky.

Nashville

KY.,

Jan 4

1868.

Received from *Bvt. Col. BEN. P. RUNKLE,*
U. S. A., Major 45th Inf., Chief Disbursing Officer,
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
State of Kentucky, *15* Dollars,
and *—* Cents, by Check No. *2479,*
on U. S. Depositary, Louisville, Kentucky.

L. T. [unclear] 712

Witness:

[Faint handwritten text, possibly a signature or note]

Recd. A. L. O. Ky Jan 7/69

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

L. Taliaferro Esq
11
Madisonville Ky

No. 24¹/₈ on the U. S. Depository at Louisville, Ky., for \$ 10⁰⁰/₁₀₀

in payment of your account for Rent for mo. 68

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Don Runkle

*Maj. 45th U. S. Inf., Bvt. Col. U. S. Army,
Disbursing Officer, State of Kentucky.*

Feb 2000

WASH 52
Hartford

Ky.,

Jan 4

1868.

Received from *Bet. Col. BEN. P. RUNKLE,*
U. S. A., Major 45th Inf., Chief Disbursing Officer,
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
State of Kentucky, 10 Dollars,
and Cents, by Check No. 2474,
on U. S. Depositary, Louisville, Kentucky.

Witness:

Andrew J. Brown

Recd A. b. O. Ky Jan 7/69

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 14. 1868.

A. L. Quinn Esq.
Washington D.C.

I have the honor to enclose herewith Check

No. 2479 on the U. S. Depositary at Louisville, Ky., for \$ 10 ⁰⁰/₁₀₀

in payment of your account for

Rent for Nov 68

Please acknowledge receipt of the same.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Benjamin Runkle

Maj. 45th U. S. Inf., Bvt. Col. U. S. Army,
Disbursing Officer, State of Kentucky.

Dec 19 1868

Jan 4 1868.

Bill of Mass :

Recd A. L. O. K Jan 7-1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 18. 1868.

Anna E. Baker

Cincinnati

I have the honor to enclose herewith Check

No. *254* on the U. S. Depositary at Louisville, Ky., for \$ *15.00*

in payment of your account for *Dec. 1868*

Please acknowledge receipt of the same.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Benjamin Runkle

Maj. 45th U. S. Inf., Brl. Col. U. S. Army,

Disbursing Officer, State of Kentucky.

to the Rev. Mother Dick

28 Feb 1869

Louisville Ky
Jan'y 9, 1869

Burbank 18th Brig Gen S.
By H. F. D. D. D.

S. O. #2, Par 1 relieving
Edward Gibbons Co "A" 2d U.S. Inf
Patrick Meath "H" "
from duty as messen-
ger in office Chief
S. A. Comer - B. R. G. &
A. Sands, Louisville

Ed. Gibbons & Patrick G. Meath
copies handed to them Jan 11/69

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 9/69

Head-Quarters Military District of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky., January 9th 1869

Special Orders, }

No. 2. }

II. The following named Enlisted men are hereby relieved from duty as Messengers in the Office of the Chief Sub Assistant Commissioner. Bureau B. F. & A. L. will report without delay to their company commanders for duty.

Private Edward Gibbons Co "A" 3^d U. S. Infantry
" " Patrick G. Meath " " " " " " " "

BY COMMAND OF BVT. BRIG. GENERAL S. BURBANK :

Det. Capt. Geo. L. Patton U. S. A.
Chief Sub Assistant Commissioner
Bureau B. F. & A. L.
General etc.

W. F. Brown

Bvt. Lieut. Col. U. S. A., A. A. A. General.

HEAD-QUARTERS DEPT. OF THE CUMBERLAND.

Assistant Adjutant General's Office,

Louisville, Ky., January 13th 1867.

Lucien Anderson Esq.

Mayfield Ky.

The Commanding Officer Post of Paducah Ky.

Sir,

The letter of December 7th signed by yourself and J. T. Bolinger, was forwarded to these Headquarters by Colonel Swaine Commanding post of Paducah Ky.

In his endorsement Col. Swaine makes the following statement: "Respectfully forwarded, The Gentlemen who sign this paper are the two most prominent Union men of Mayfield. They fear if troops are sent there that it will be worse for the people when the troops are withdrawn, and they in connection with certain prominent men politically opposed to them, all give assurances that the citizens will protect the school teacher, and colored school house &c &c"

NRH 69
In your letter you express the same fear of consequences in case troops are sent to Mayfield, and moreover that the school house would be burned after the troops had left, and propose that the Marshall arrest the guilty parties assisted by a detachment of soldiers,

Out of deference to the wishes of the people of Mayfield thus expressed, and in consideration of the promise made for them by Colonel Swaine, the order directing a company to proceed thither to protect the school, was suspended,

The plan of arresting the guilty parties by the Marshall, assisted by the military, was also tried, with what success you are probably aware, and still the condition of things does not appear to have materially improved.

By last reports the school house still remained closed, and the teacher was in Paducah entertaining apparently well grounded fears for her personal safety, should she return to Mayfield, and it is not known

that she has received any assurances that she would be protected should she again attempt to open her school.

The reason for not stationing troops in Mansfield that the school house might be burned after they left cannot have much weight while such a state of affairs exist, as it is not perceived wherein a school house standing in which a school cannot be held, is better than a school house burned. If the troops are sent to Mansfield they would probably remain some time, and a school could be kept during that time at least.

In short it cannot be permitted that a band of assassins and disturbers of the peace should be permitted to thus tyrannize over a school opened under the auspices and with the encouragement of the United States Government, and I write this to inform you that the school must be opened again, either under the protection of the people or the troops, and to inquire whether you have any other reasons to offer why the latter course should not be at once adopted

over

Very Respectfully
 Your Obedient Servant.
 Wm. G. Whipple
 Col. Mas. Genl. U.S.A.
 Assistant Adjutant General

Recd. A. & O. 5 Nov 14-1869

16. 1869

Recd. Geo. Albert & the Currier,
 Louisville Ky Nov 13th 1869.

139 York, near 1869
 Nashville Tenn
 Mr. Whipple & family

State that on account of your
 services given to the Government
 sent to Washington, but there
 is no apparent improvement
 in the condition of things,
 also state that the soldiers
 must be opened again in
 the under the protection of the
 people on the troops, and in
 private respects there are any
 reasons why the latter copies
 should not be taken.

Recd. Geo. Mail & each of the
 Louisville Nov 13th 1869.

Recd. Geo. Mail & each of the
 Louisville Nov 13th 1869.
 Mr. G. A. & the Currier
 Mr. G. A. & the Currier
 Mr. G. A. & the Currier

Bureau of the U.S.A.
 Civil Service Office
 Louisville Ky Aug 20. 69

Respectfully trans-
 mitted to the Currier
 Anderson & Co. Albany

Field of the U.S.A.

By order
 of the U.S.A. General
 Genl. G. A. & the Currier
 A. & O. & the Currier

Recd. Geo. Mail & each of the
 Louisville Nov 13th 1869.

B. 10. Dec 1. 1869

Harrodsburg Ky
Jan'y 11. 69

Barnett Jennie E
Teacher

Thanks Colonel
Runkle for money
sent her —

Recd A. S. O. K. Jan 14/69

Copy to J. A. Smith
 from [unclear]
 June 10, 1880

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For the [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] and
 [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

[unclear]
 [unclear]

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Narradburg Ky
Jan 21. 69

July 3.

Pamell Jennie E.

Writes in regard to her
School and says a
man by the name of
Jackson (Calcutt) is in-
terfering with her school
and trying to break it up.
Asks Calcutt's interposition

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Recd A. C. O. of Jan 22/69.

Bureau N. E. A. L.
Asst Comr Office Ky
Louisville July 3 69

Respectfully referred
to Chap J. K. Noble
with instructions to see
if this interference with
Miss Pamell's School
cannot be stopped

Action to be reported

By order of
J. B. C. R. P. R. R.
L. J. Burnett

Ex 124 Sub Capt 10 Jan
1869 A. A. A. Genl.

Dear Sir,

Yours of 21st
1866

Received

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My dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the matter of the purchase of land for the purpose of building a school house for the use of the colored people of this city. I am very glad to hear that you are so interested in the welfare of the colored community, and I am sure that your efforts will be successful.

I have been thinking of this matter for some time, and I am sure that the Board of Education will be glad to have you appointed as a member of the committee to select a site for the school. I am sure that you will be able to find a suitable location, and I am sure that the school will be a great benefit to the colored community.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
John A. [Name]
[Address]
[City, State]

147.
Pudor, modestie & de ces plus
en l'honneur de la sainte Vierge
en l'honneur de son nom
Pudor, modestie & de ces plus
en l'honneur de la sainte Vierge
en l'honneur de son nom

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Lebanon Ky

Jan 25th 1869

Feb 2

Danny A.

Says the school that was
in charge of Dr Taliaferro
is now connected with his. he
teaching both - Says the people
would like to have Mr Marshall
assist him. and asks how
much would be allowed both.

(1 under)

Representing Farmers
(14)

Recd A. L. O. 1/2 Jan 25-1869

1869

Lebanon Ky February 23
Br. Col. Ben. P. Runkle,
Esq.

I hope that you will
supply any answer —
that I may have left
out, as I have tried —
to keep the rule Ith
With my hearts best
wishes for your success.
I remain your humble
servant.

A. Barry
P.S.

the school that was in
the care of Galapharo is
in connection with mine
and I am teaching.

book which makes my
School consist of
fifty eight. I think it
will ^{run} in to sixty pretty
soon and people here think
that they would like Mr.
Marshall to assist me
how much will you allow
us both please write and
let me know as we are
at a loss how to know
what to do a bout Rev.
Marshall until we hear
from you please answer
with out delay Yours &c

A. Barry

Recd. A. L. O. Ky

Louisville Jan 27 69

Dear James P.

Says Wood Ennis of Co
I 113. O. S. is here for
the purpose of drawing
his bounty and finds
that some one has drawn
it in his name, asks
for information concerning
the case,

Recd. A. L. O. Ky Jan 29 - 1869

Bureau A. L. O. A. L.
Louisville Ky. Feb. 8. 69

Respectfully referred to
Post Maj James M. Cleary
Squire A. C. for report
Please return papers.

~~Recd. Bureau~~
Post Colonel Wm
West Over Ky

Bureau F. and A. L.
Office Disbursing Officer.
Rough Feby. 26th 1869.

Respectfully returned with
the information that this
man was paid by me in
Nov. last at Cave City. Ky.
I do not remember the par-
ticular circumstances of it
as I paid a number there,
but my papers show that

he was identified and the
payment witnessed by L. J.
Blair, F. H. Omer and
R. C. Hayslip. The latter
is a merchant there, and
it was at his store that I
made several payments,
and I presume this man
was among the number.

True & Co. L. O. Ky.

Capt. 45th Inf. St. Maj. Wm.

Disbursing Officer.

Recd. Cash A. L. O. Ky March 1869

Louisville Ky
June 27th 1869

Majr M^cCleary

Wood Ennis of 115th Regt
Co F. of the U.S. Inftry Colored Troops
is here for the purpose of drawing
his bounty and finds that some
one has drawn it in his name
without any authority from him

You will please let me know
what is the state of the case and
all you know about it, and
by so doing you will greatly
oblige

P.S.

Your friend
Geo. F. Bowen

Wood E. is very anxious to get his money
and you will do a great favor by re-
plying at once,

care Mr Brown Mumfordsville Ky.

B 26. 1st 1 1869

Feb 2-1869

Bruce & Co by
Geo W. Stewart

Gives names and Tress
Certificate of claimants
whose claims are allowed

Reed A. L. O. Ky Feb 3-1869

I got notice from Washington from our agt
 that the following had been allowed
 Jas W Park Co K 54 Mass Cash Co 492,892
 John Wilson " B 108 Mass " " 493,384
 Thomas Chase " E 108 " " " 493,290
 Francis Perwitt widow application 491,980
 Sarah Clarence mother " 494,989
 Betty Morton widow " 494,982
 Please get these receipts as soon as you can
 Everything is working right as far as I am
 aware
 Regards from Tell Yours Truly
 Geo W Stewart

Feb 24 1869

Eddyville Ky
Feb 5 1869

Pond Henry

Forwards bill for work
done in Freedmen's School
Says he opened school
last Monday.

Refer to Capt Brown
to know if work
has been done

Recd A. B. O. Ky Feb 7-1869

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Asst Commr's Office Ky
Louisville Feb 24. 69

Respectfully referred
to Bk Capt A. B. Brown
Asst Supt Schools
for information
as to whether this
work has been
done -

By order of
Bk Col Ben P. Runkle
Levi J. Burnett
Bk Captain U.S.A.
A. A. A. Gaul

Ends 109. 1869

Carewille Ky.

14 March 1869.

W. D. S. H. returned.

This work

has been done.

W. D. S. H. returned.

Recd. in care of A. B. O.

3. 10. 69.

One bill A. B. O. of Feb 6-1869

Eddyville Ky Lyon County
 Methodist Church
 thing and Plastering and

Carpenters Work
 Wagon and Team

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2 0 0

2 0 0

7 0 0

Lathes and Walling
 Nails

4 0 0

15 0 0

Sealing

10 0 0

Stove

100 0 0

Eddyville Ky Feb 5th 1869

Col. B. P. Runkle I Have

pleasure of informing you

I opened school on Monday last

at your request I sent a
 letter Gilbert Burton But
 have not received an answer

From him yet

I Remaind Your Humble

Servt Henry Bond

I Received Those Vouches

And School Report which

I will Retain Till The

Month is up.

Wright School also

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Louisville Ky, Feby 10. 69

Down Post Capt A. B.
West District Officer re

Requests authority to
go to Hickman & Hop-
kinsville Ky to inspect
the Freedmen's Schools

Granted; See L. O. #10. Par 1
Feb, 13 69

Recd A. B. O. H. Feb 10-1869

Bureau R S & A S

Louisville Ky.

10th Sept 1869.

Dr. Prof. L. S. Burnett

A. A. A. Genl. Ky. Bureau R S & A S

Prof. Burnett

I have the honor to apply for authority to go to Hickman
and Prof. Rindville Ky. to inspect the Freedmen's Schools.

Very Respectfully Yrs A. B. Brown

A. B. Brown

1st Lt. 43rd Inf., R. I. 1864

1st Lt. 51st Regt., R. I. 1864

MAR 82
73 32. 100 1 1869

Louisville Ky
Feb 10 1869

Brown A Benford
Bk Capn W. A.

Encloses Vouchers
for actual Expenses
Amounting to \$216.70.

Recd A. B. O. Ky Feb 11-1869

San Antonio, Tex. 10 Feb 1869.

Br. Capt. L. S. Burnett, Major

A. A. A. Mil. St^a Arty. Bureau R S + A S.

Captain

I have the honor to enclose vouchers in duplicate

of expenses incurred in performing the journey in compliance with
Special Orders No. 45, from Wash. D. C. St^a Arty. dated 31. Dec 1868, amounting

to 216 ⁴⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars.

Very Respectfully, Yrs, Wm. Stewart.

A. B. Brown

St 43 Arty. D. C.

Br. Col. A. A. Mil. St^a Arty. Bureau R S + A S.

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Louisville Feb 16. 69

Brown A Benson

Res Capt recd

Enclosed Vouchers in
his favor for Mileage
amount to 83 00

Recd A. L. N. Ly Feb 16 1891

Reverend A. D. A. Smith
 Louisville Ky. A. D. 1888.

Dr. Rev. A. D. A. Smith
 A. D. A. Smith, Ky.
 Louisville

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th inst. and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
 Very truly yours,
 A. D. A. Smith

A. D. A. Smith
 1st St. Louisville, Ky.
 A. D. 1888

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Frankfort Ky
Feb 20 1869

Baxter J. S.

Wants to know whether
he has the power to
expel from his school
indigent children,

Is he assisted
by Board
R

Recd A. C. C. L. J. Feb 22 1869

Frankfort Ky

Feb the 20th 1869

Bt. Col. Ben. P. Runkle.
Louisville Ky.

Sir.

I have the
pleasure of writing you those few lines
of which I wish to ask you a few
questions. any person coming to my
School that does not pay or they seem
are not going to pay have I the
power to expell or dismiss such
person from School or is that
against the Bureau rules. I have
a great many orphans coming
of which I charge nothing. please

Sir gave me some definite
instructions pertaining to the above.
I please Sir have my letters sent
to Spitzer ~~and~~ have received
several of them from Bridgeport

id oblige your Obedient
servant W. S. B.

Post address.

Wm S. Baster.
Box No 223

Shelbyville Ky

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1845 July 1 1864

Linsville Pa

July 29 1864

Dear Sir (Jt A.B)

Enclosed you will find
for Forges for July 69
+ vouchers in favor of
John C. Meyer for
same amt to \$1148

I am, Sir,

Very respectfully,
Yours,
J. C. Meyer

R. A. C. C. H. 23-127

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., 20 Feb. 1869.

Dr Capt. L. F. Hunt

I. A. S. and Staff

Captain

*I have the honor to transmit inclosed and
requisitions in duplicate for storage for the use of the
troops, 1869. Amounting to \$11 ⁴³/₁₀₀.*

Very Respectfully, Dr L. F. Hunt
A. B. Benson

Be Capt. Hunt

Feb 20 1869

Paym't 1/1869

Louisville Ky

July 23. 1869

Thos A Beaman
But Capt

Makes report of his op-
erations in the 1st Educa-
tional Dist during July by
States Schools that have
been organized and makes
recommendations for
each.

Went mentioned with
great respect

Recd. W. C. B. 5/15/1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., 23rd February 1869.

Dr. Wm. L. E. Dunwell

A. A. A. Genl. Sta. Ky

Dear Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge my appointment in the 1st Educational District
beginning February 1869. As this is my first monthly report of this District I
will state the schools which have been organized since my assignment and attend
my recommendations for each.

✓ <u>Reckwood</u> Sch. opened 1 st February 69.	recommended 108 paid J. D. Mackey 1 st Feb	41	Scholars
✓ <u>Wright's Settlement</u> Sch. 2 miles from Reckwood, opened 1 st Feb	recommended 25 & paid to Susette Gilchrist 1 st Feb	30	"
✓ <u>Smith's Mills</u> in Henderson Co. Ky. 10 miles from Reckwood, opened 15 Feb	recommended 20 & paid to James D. Smith 1 st Feb	30	"
✓ <u>Arundelton</u> Ky. opened 1 st Feb		25	"
✓ <u>Equality</u> Ill. Co. opened 1 st Feb. (4 miles from Equality at Reckwood)		40	"
✓ <u>Madant Grove</u> Ky. " 1 st Feb	recommended 20 & paid to Wm. H. H. H. 1 st Feb	32	"
✓ <u>Petersburg</u> Sch. " 1 st Feb	recommended 15 & paid to J. D. Mackey 1 st Feb	28	"
✓ <u>Perry Settlement</u> Ky. (Henderson Co.) opened 15 Feb	recommended 20 & paid to J. D. Mackey 1 st Feb	35	"
✓ <u>Knobing Grove</u> Ky. No. 2. (7E) opened 15 Feb	recommended 20 & paid to J. D. Mackey 1 st Feb	50	"
✓ <u>Meredonville</u> Ky. opened 15 Feb	recommended 20 & paid to J. D. Mackey 1 st Feb	40	"
✓ <u>Grand View</u> Ill. opened 15 Feb	recommended 20 & paid to J. D. Mackey 1 st Feb	32	"
✓ <u>Madestown</u> Ky. opened 1 st Feb	recommended 20 & paid to J. D. Mackey 1 st Feb	36	"
✓ <u>Metropolis</u> Ky. " 1 st Feb	recommended 20 & paid to J. D. Mackey 1 st Feb		

The first school were selected by me in my District Report as the 12th

The following are from the same source
 I have not been able to find any more, but I wish you to still be
 aware the matter is not at all to be taken into consideration.

I expect to fill at least 500th of teachers during the next
 school month. Beside these I have several locations ready to
 be filled. I have not as yet found any difficulty in getting
 all necessary teachers.

Very respectfully to all friends

J. B. Brown

1st St. St. Louis Mo.

Oct 20, 1864

Edgville July 24. 69

Edgville July 24. 69

David Henry

Says he has never
received any vouchers
for the work done
on the church

Paul

Edgville

File

Rev. A. C. O. L. Feb 10-1869

Bureau R F & H

Louisville Ky. 26. Mar 69.

Respectfully referred to by
Capt. S. B. Burdett O.A.C.

I made application from
Paducah last season for an ap-
propriation of 100 \$ to complete
the Edgville School House &
supplied that it had been paid.
Have not vouchers been sent him?

Mason Brown

Bapt. N. 1 St 43 Ind

Ind. to Ky.

Recd back A. C. O. L. Mar 26/69

MARK 95
Giddenville Ky Feb 24 1869

Sir I have never Received any
Vouches for the Work I had
Done on the Church
Henry Bond

Edgewood Ky Feb 25th 1869

Sir I Beg the favor of you to fill
those Vouches for me Then Please to
fill one Blank and send it to me
All Vouches I have received
her to you was fill all to Sign
Your Humble Servt Henry Bond

Dec 1. 1869

Gordonville Ky
July 27. 1869

Bell J. Dk.

Says he has a day &
night or more there and
asked

Recd A. M. O. K. March 4-1869

Bureau R B + L S

Louisville Ky. 26. Mar. 69.

Respectfully referred to by
Capt. S. J. Burdett, A. A. A. A.

This is a school not pre-
viously reported. I organized
10 & 100 the paid to J. W. Bell
from 1st April 1869.

H. B. Burdett

R^d Capt. 1st Lt 43 Inf

Det Capt Eb.

Recd. back A. M. O. K. March 26/69

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Greenville Ky
March 20. 69

Brown A Benson
Stk Capt'n U.S.A
Reports Schools opened
in his Dist - during
March 69 - for which
rent is requested -
Asks that the rent of
Lucy R Hughes at
Columbus be increased
from \$15 to \$20 per m -
from Mich 1. 69 -

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Reed A. B. O. Ky March 24-1869,

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Greenville Ky
March 20. 69

Brown A Benson
Sbk Capital Ufa
Reports Schools opened
in his Dist - during
March 69 - for which
rent is requested -
Asks that the rent of
Lucy R Hughes at
Columbus be increased
from \$15 to \$20 per m -
from Mch 1. 69 -

Disapproved

Reed A. L. S. Ky March 24-1869,

Remittance -

25 March 1944

£100.00

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Augusta Sky
Mch 25, 69

Butter L
Teacher

Asks pay & travel-
ing Expenses

Discharge

1869

Very much reduced the
price

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1869

Recd A. C. O. Ky March 27-1869

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Louisville Ky
March 31.69

Brown A Benfow
Bk Capt Uga

Vouchers for
actual expenses
Amtg to \$253.15

1 Enclosure

Recd A. L. C. Ky March 31.69

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets.

Louisville, Ky., 31. March 1869.

W. Capt. S. F. Burnett 11/20

W. G. A. Ward, et al.

Capt. Tamm

I have the honor to transmit herewith enclosed in duplicate, amounting to 253 $\frac{5}{100}$ for actual expenses incurred by journey under Special Order No. 18. A. C. S. 1869.

Very Respectfully, Wm. H. Garrison

Wm. H. Garrison

W. Capt. S. F. 11/20

Det. Discharge (Main 11/20)

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Covington Ky
Mch 26. 69

Bostwick St.

Forwards application for Bounty
for Wanner &
Mary Johnson
on acct of their
son Miles Conrad
(decd) late Pvt
Co "H" 100 Ct.

Bureau R. S. & A. Land's
Asst Commr Office Ky
Louisville April 22. 69

Respectfully forwarded
to Maj Gen O. O. Howard
Comdr & Washington
D. C.

[Signature]
B. Colonel W. A.
Asst Commr Ky

Respectfully returned - vouchers
for signature of Wanner &
Mary Johnson enclosed.

Geo. M. Burch
Prov. Secy. Land Co.
P. M.

Office Co. 3
Apr 26/69

RECEIVED
APR 26
1869
OFFICE CHIEF D. O.

BUREAU R. S. & A.
APR 26
1869
CLARKSON

H. M. MAGILL, Gen'l Agent,]

TOTAL LOSSES PAID OVER \$4,000,000!

[Cincinnati, Ohio.

PHOENIX



INSURANCE COMPANY,

— OF —

HARTFORD, CONN.

ANNUAL INCOME,

\$1,200,000.

NET ASSETS,

\$1,052,872.63.

H. BOSTWICK, Resident Agent, COVINGTON, Ky.

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Covington, Ky. March 26th 1867.

Rev. Edw. P. Mumford,

A. S. Agent - Recruiting Officer,

Louisville, Ky.

Dear Sir - I have of the 24th at hand and inquiries answered as follows - Miles Conrad is dead - has neither wife or child living. His own Mother and Father are both living, viz. James and Mary Johnson. - The family were the Slaves of E. W. McDonald, (deceased) of Benton Co. Ky. Miles Johnson, was sold by said McDonald to a Mr. Conrad, of Harrison Co. Ky. and when Miles enlisted, he did so under the name of Conrad, as there were a number of Johnsons in the same Co. with him. He was discharged from the Army and died at his Father (James Johnsons) house.

Mrs. McDonald wife of the former owner of the above family is living, and could give a certificate to the above facts if necessary, also many friends here who knew the

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Covington, Ky.

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family, and could certify to the fact that the
Court was the highest, and I am, therefore,

If certificates of identity are necessary, and
you would so inform me, you will receive
the rank of the colored person, and oblige

Yours Truly

H. Bostwick,

I enclose a card for parents to
swear to before a Clerk of Court, as
Picture is here also complete

Wm L. Bennett

March 19/67

Geo Capt Wm
Bennett

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Louisville Ky
April 20. 69

Bel R. A
a a Surgeon

Forwards, List of
Patients in R. & F.
Hospit with res-
idence when ad-
mitted—

Copied by Henry
J. Hittlersey April 24,
69 in See letter

File

List of inmates of the Freedmen's Hospital Louisville Ky. April 20th 1899.

No	Name	Age	Admitted	Residence when admitted	State
				Town	County
1	Elijah Brooks	113	Aug 20 th 1866	Shepherdsville	Bullitt Ky
2	Henry Jenkins	23	July 4 th 1868	Bowling Green	Ky
3	Charles Lewis	21	March 29 th 1868		N.C.
4	Nelson Hamilton	61	Nov 3 rd 1866	Bards Town	Bullitt Ky.
5	John W. Burden	29	Oct 28 th 1867	Murfreesboro	Tenn.
6	Henry Levy	24	June 23 rd 1866	Not Known	
7	Jack Bell	82	May 20 th 1867	Henderson	Ky.
8	Isaac Newton	24	June 23 rd 1866	Not Known	
9	James Hamilton	11	June 22 nd 1868		Marion Ky
10	Billy Lee		June 23 rd 1866	Not Known	Va
11	Thomas Martin	24	June 23 rd 1866		Barber Ga
12	Isaac Brown	27	Jan 18 th 1868	Mt. Washington	Bullitt Ky
13	George Carter	22	June 23 rd 1866	Not Known	
14	Grandy Gibson	31	June 3 rd 1867	Louisville	Jefferson Ky
15	Elija Peterson	36	Oct 10 th 1866	Louisville	Jefferson Ky
16	Bettie Newton	27	July 7 th 1867	Louisville	Jefferson Ky.
17	Allie William	20	July 1 st 1868	Waysville	Ky
18	Sarah Meyers	19	Jan 11 th 1868	Quincy	Daviess Ky.
19	Janet Frasier	21	April 1 st 1867	Pomaria	Haring Ky.
20	Thomas William	53	July 7 th 1868	Louisville	Jefferson Ky
21	Allie Edwards	51	Jan 26 th 1868	New Orleans	Delaware La
22	Amos Howard	56	Aug. 28 1866	Not Known	Ky
23	Pattie Emerson	67	April 18 th 1867	Not Known	Ky
24	Billy Sharp	20	June 23 rd 1866		Va
25	Amie Johnson	57	Jan 15 th 1868	Mt. Washington	Bullitt Ky

No	Name	Age	Admitted	Residence when Admitted		State
				Town	County	
26	Perry Jordan	81	Jan 27 th 1867	Henderson		Ky
27	Harriet Rutherford	35	Jan. 30 th 1868	Bardestown	Nelson	Ky
28	Jemima Perry	62	April 20 th 1867	Paducah		Ky
29	Emma Stone	72	April 12 th 1867	Perryville		Ky
30	Charity Pendleton	81	Sept 21		Henry	Ky
31	Esther Drummell	22	Dec 20 th 1867	Not	Known	
32	Levy Coleman	25	November 23 rd 66		Daviess	Ky
33	Martha Sloan	21	Nov 26 th 1867	Sourville	Jefferson	Ky
34	Maria Mucke	26	Dec. 5 th 1867	Sourville	Jefferson	Ky
35	Saura Williams	17	June 3 rd 1868		Greene	Ky
36	Sarah Bohan	4	Feb. 21 st 1868	Not	Known	
37	Frederic Combs	8	Feb. 28 th 1868	Not	Known	
38	John Howard	9	Dec 18 th 1867	Allepping		Ky
39	Belle Sanborn	23	June 12 th 1868	Sourville	Jefferson	Ky
40	Martha Johnson	18	Feb. 11 th 1868	Sourville	Jefferson	Ky
41	Lina Talbott	22	May 1 st 1868	Bardestown	Nelson	Ky

O. A. Bell
A. A. Surg. M. A.
Surg. in charge

B. 88. 24-1-1869
Louisville Ky. July 26 69

Brady, L.

Asks compensation for
teaching Night School
in the month of February
and March 1869.

Wagner, L. Esq.

Louisville Kentucky
August 13 1869

Respectfully returns L.
Tennant's for month
extended for next two months
will be paid to you.

It is impossible to
pay for a school which
was not borne on any
report. Though there is
no doubt it was taught.

W

Brady, L.
J. H. Brady

File



Louisville July 2 1867

Rev. B. L. Runkle. Sir I herewith give you a brief
sketch of my night school - which I taught for 2 months
February & March. in Feb - I taught 27 scholars, and in
the month of March 24 - I made my monthly report on
the Lurmes paper with my day-school report, I had
^{13 blanks} no ~~report~~ sent me for night school - therefore I did not
know that they should be separate, you will please
compensate me for my labor, if you can possibly do so,
for I labored hard and earnestly for the school, and I
was authorized to publish it by Wm. C. Allen; and he promised
me Ten Dollars per month. (410)

Yours respectfully
Chas. S. Runkle

P.S. My school was suspended March 17

D. 91

Aug. 13. 1869

Diaper David

Bradshaws Firm.

Bond for the recovery of
a check supposed to be
lost, drawn in favor of
David Diaper for
£25.00

File with B 91-

Whereas a certain Draft on the Depository
of the United States at Louisville drawn
December 31st 1868 by Brig. Gen. Ben D. Runkle
was in favour of D. Draper or Order for
Twenty-Five Dollars has been lost and a new
one is desired in place thereof Know all
persons by these presents that we David Draper
and Lincoln Bradshaw our Executors ad-
ministrators or assigns are firmly held and
bound to the United States in the sum of
Twenty Dollars good and lawful Money subject
to the following conditions namely

If the
above described check shall not have been
or shall not be paid then this bond shall
be null and void otherwise to remain in
full force and virtue

Signed with our hands
and sealed with our seals this Fifth
day of July Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Nine

Attest
J. H. Miller
A. C. Ford

David Draper
Lincoln Bradshaw

Whereas a certain Draft on the Depository of the United States at Louisville drawn December 31st 1848 by, Brvt. Coln. Ben-
 J. Hunkle, USA, in favour of D. Draper
 on Order for Twenty-Five Dollars has been
 lost and a new one is desired in place
 thereof. Therefore, know all persons by these
 presents that David Draper and Simon
 Bradshaw our executors, administrators or
 assignees are firmly held and bound to the
 United States in the sum of Fifty Dollars
 good and lawful money subject to the
 following conditions, Namely

That if the above
 described Check shall not have been or shall
 not be paid then this bond shall be null and
 void, otherwise to remain in full force and
 virtue

Signed with our hands and ~~over~~
 and sealed with our Seals this Fifth
 day of July Eighteen Hundred and
 Sixty-Nine

Attest
 J. H. Milley
 A. H. Judd

David Draper
 Simon Bradshaw

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Vernon Ind. Aug 25 1869

Bundy J

calls attention to former
letter, relative to bounty
money of Richard Norton
and Anderson born.

Inquires for cause of
the delay.

See B. 103 - 1869

See 11. 577 - 1869

See



Verona Jennings County
Indiana Aug. 25th / 869
Col. Ben. P. Bunkle
Dear Sir;

I wrote you letter
a few days since in relation to the money
that I was informed, By the President's
Bureau at Washington City D. C., had
been sent to you to pay Richard
Hastman and Anderson Coon, two
Col. Soldiers. The money was for back
pay and bounty \$190, each - I saw
one of the persons to day and he informs
me that they had not heard anything from
it. Neither have I received any reply
to the letter I wrote you. Please let me
know what is the cause of the delay
by return mail.

Yours very respectfully

J. Bunkle

P. S. I was their agent in procuring
the allowance
J. B.

1869
B.D. 204-1-69
Garrison, Ind
Sept 7 1869
Bundy, J

Got receipt of letter
informing him
that an agent
would proceed to
Madison, Ind. to
pay certain claims
and says it is about
the same distance to
Madison as to Louis-
ville. Asks if some
better plan cannot
be adopted.

See B 108-

" H 577-

End 263-



Vernon Jennings Co.,
Ind. Sept. 7th 1869

Col. Bay: P. Bunkle

Dear Sir:

Your letter in reply
to mine in case of Anderson Corn
and Richard Hartman was duly
received - you stated that a pay-
master would be at Madison soon
when it could be got - They want
their money and ought to have had
it before this time - And it will
be nearly as much out of the
way to go there as to Lewisville.
Can you send it without. If you
can send it as soon as you
get this. - I presume I could
not get it for them if I were
to come to Lewisville. If I could
I would come. - Let me hear from
you as soon as you receive this.
They must have their money soon.
They are blaming me & I cannot
help it

Yours very respectfully

J. Bandy

Francis Waller

My dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the matter of the estate of the late John Waller, deceased. I am sorry to hear of the death of your friend and am sure that you will sympathize with me in the loss of such a worthy man. I have been thinking much of late of the many good men who have departed this life, and of the many who are still living, and of the many who are yet to come. I am sure that you will sympathize with me in the loss of such a worthy man. I have been thinking much of late of the many good men who have departed this life, and of the many who are still living, and of the many who are yet to come. I am sure that you will sympathize with me in the loss of such a worthy man.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
Francis Waller

122-60-1-1-1
Louisville Ky Oct 5 1869

Booker James

Receipt for Discharge
Certificate

File

Louisville Ky
Oct 5, 1869

Received of Col 1 Ben J. Runkle
USA D.O. Ky, my Discharge
Certificate —

Witness

W. P. Barnes
His
James ^{mark} D. O. K. E. R.
Late Port "I" D. U. S. C. E.

Shepherdsville Ky
Nov 10, 1869

Bond Katy R

Ask Compensation
for Teaching her
present School

See letter to Kate
Bond Dec 3 -
presenting L^d for
mission.

My dear friend

Dec 21

Dear Anne

Sir

I find my self looking to pen you
a few lines I regards to Teaching school I am
at this present time in Depueville
and have commenced Teaching school as
there was an agent passing through and
informed the trustees that if they had
a teacher they could take up school
providing they was provided with said
teacher - and the Bureau would pay the
teacher for Teaching scholars and the scholars
would pay the board, furnished for me sent
out by the Bureau. I was sent out
by the Bureau you have my name in
the office

The agent promised to write but
did not — please answer this and
advise me Katy Bond
Did teach at Coal Springs last spring

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Mayfield Ky
Nov 9. 1869

Bulger J M

Asks assistance
from the Bureau
to pay indebted-
ness on school
house and to buy
seats —

See letter to Bulger

Nov 20. 69 —

Dec B. 29. 69

Expt

will follow as they arrive

to be made 1870 in

to be made 1870 in

to be made 1870 in

Mayfield Nov 9 1869

Col Runkle

Dear Sir

J. A. M. Bulger am
authorised By the Board of
Trustees of the Mayfield
School to write to you
in regard to the indebtedness
of the School House Five
of them namely Jas Williams
Matt Willis Horace Williams Jr
Horace Williams son Joseph
Suttles — Bought Lumber
and completed the School
House except the seats and
they wish to know if the
Government will pay them
back for what they are
out of Col True sent the
rough Lumber & said

it cost 1.50 Dollars
 then we made ^{By Collection} 15 Dollars
 more & sent him (I) me
 yet he neither sent
 ceiling nor flooring
 so the afore named
 men finished it except
 the seats this is ^{the} second
 letter I have wrote to
 you please answer
 this one - Your Agent
 Mr. Graham also Directed
 us the (Trustees) to
 write to you for 50
 Dollars to put seats
 in the School House
 we started the school
 last month Oct on our
 own responsibility gave the
 Teacher 17.50 Dollars
 & her Board 12.00 making to \$29.50

and the children
 that came to school
 paid only ~~of~~ about 21.00
 dollars so we are ~~thing~~
 behind & the school
 started this month ^{with} ~~which~~
 about 23 scholars
 and may reach 35 or
 40 during winter
 I am very thankful
 for your timely aid
 to the Teacher - it lets the
 price down and the
 people are better satisfied
 now all can send their
 children & please
 answer soon
 Yours Respectfully

J. M. Bulger

Trustee of Mayalick
 Colord School

1851-1852

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Capt. R. R. R.

1859

Treasury Department,

Second Auditor's Office,

November 20th 1869.

Mrs Docia Bowman

Burksville, Kentucky.

(son of James Haggard.)

Madam:

Your communication of 8th inst. relative to the claim in case of Lewis Molley late Private Co "D" 115th N.Y.C. Troops, has been received and has this day been referred to the Commissioner of the Freedmen's Bureau, to whom Treasury Certificate No 463265 for \$339.55 in your favor was paid April 12/69.

Respectfully E.B. French

Auditor,

Per A.M.

H.W.
58.
~

Burkville Ky
Apr 29th 1864

General Runkle

Of the Freedman's Bureau

Sir

I am the
Mother of Lewis Mottly freed, late a private-1st
"I" 115th U.S. Inf. you will see from
the within letter, that my claim for Bounty &c,
has been allowed & certificate issued to 463265
for \$339 ⁵⁵/₁₀₀. If you have said check, I desire
you to send it directly to my address
Burkville Ky to the care of my friend
James Haggard of said town. If you have
not received it will you be so kind enough to
write to Washington D.C. & get it as I
need my money.

Yours very

Truly

Hocia^{her} + Bowman
must

Attest

Scott Walker

L A Waggoner Clerk

Circuit and County Court

Off 144 - 1 - 1 - 62
Hillyville Ky
December 14

Bayard Rustin. 8

He has said that he
is in relation to the
situation of the
people with him. I cannot
say anything more about
it. I will give you a few days

Dec 2, 1961 - 1 - 1 - 62

Shelville Ky

Dec^r 1. 21 - 1869

Br. Col. Ben. P. Runkle,
Louisville Ky.

Honored Sir,

yours of
Nov. the 30th is at hand and in
reply I must say that they
are three schools here and
each one wants to continue,
and the one I am teaching
does not wish to close. for the
parents all are in favor of
keeping it this. but if you
withdraw the Bureau aid
from it - it will not be
able to support itself. and
if there is any ^{way} to assist
us we would like to receive
it - but if not we can - not
help it. but in regard to the
Bagdad School I am

Willing to take it - if the
Bureau aid stops from
this school but I have
learned since I received
your letter that there is a
Teacher at ~~BB~~ Bagdad now
and are trying to get up
a school but before you
withdraw the aid from this
School at that is that is your
aim please wait a few days
and you will from some of
the most prominent ~~men~~
Men in this place in regard to
the foundation and fundamental
principles of this school

till then I remain
your Humble Servant

Thomas J. Baxter

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Danville Ky

Decr 20. 69

Barry A.

States that he has several
 subscribers for Louisville
Commercial. More will take
 it if they can get it by the
 month payable in advance.
 Wants some more Circulars
 that his school reports were
 all returned to him from N. York
 what must he do about
 it? wants answer about
 paper right away - will be
 down Christmas week & bring
 names & money of subscribers

Bu 20

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I arrived by December 20th

P. S. I got 1 Box. S. Sample

3. I am doing all that I

can for the Canadian Commercial

Journal of the Trade & Commerce

of the Province & North

of Canada & the West

of the Province & North

of Canada & the West

of the Province & North

of Canada & the West

of the Province & North

of Canada & the West

of the Province & North

And this morning my School
Reports were all returned to me say-
ing that Capt. Fisher could
not be performed that
must be so about it.

I hope you will answer in
regard to the paper right away
and I will be glad to hear from you.

C. H. Berry

W. H. Berry

My dear friends I have
nothing happened Christmas week and
will bring the names of the subscribers
and this money. According as
it shall be daily or weekly.

Evansville Ind
Dec 21. ~~Sept~~ 1869

Received of Col. B.
P. Runkle the Dis-
charge mentioned
within - Johnson ^{by} Barrett
mark

Thimble 3
H. Reavis 3
W. L. Reavis 3

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Evansville Ind
Decr 21. 69

Barrett Johnson.

Receipt for his discharge

File

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Office Sup't Ed. and D. O., State of Kentucky,

Corner Third and Walnut Streets, (Up Stairs.)

Louisville, Ky.,

Sept 6th 1869.

Johnson Barrett, Col'd,
Evansville Ind,

Sir:

I enclose you herewith your Dis-
charge, which was overlooked at the
time your Bounty Vouchers were
sent.

Please sign the receipt on the back
of this letter, have the signature witnessed
by two persons and return the letter
to this office.

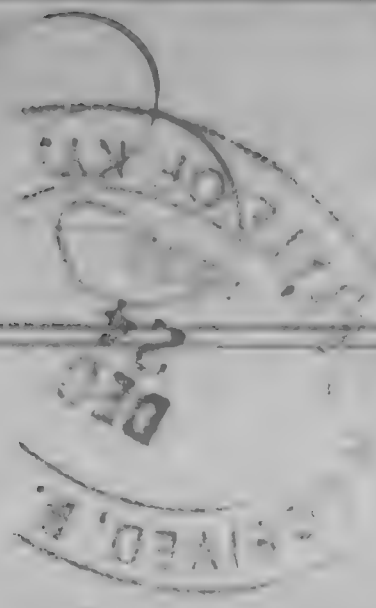
Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

Benj B. Runkle

Stm Sec'y & D.O

For M. P. P.



125-1-60
Richmond Ky
Dec 23 1864

Burnam C. F.

States that the man named in the
two enclosed letters as Frank Miller
& Frank Clay ~~are~~ and the same
person. C. F. 107. Is Infy. Is in jail
and cannot give No of Certificate
but will get No. & send to Col
Runkle.

(2 Enc)

Paid Aug 4th 69
By Geo E. [unclear]

Richmond Ky
Dec 23. 1869

Capt. Charles W. Keyes

The ~~man~~ named in these two letters is one and the same person, named in one Frank Melton, in the other Frank Clay. the former, probably, the name by which he was enrolled in the Army. He belonged to Co. I. 107 Regiments Col. I. Colorado Infantry. He is in jail and cannot send the number of the Treasury Certificate, but promises to send for the check & send it when received. He has also at home letters from Gen. Kimball stating his money was secured by him and would be paid over, as stated in the letter of my son A. R. Burrison of Dec. 10. 1869.

I was not the Agent who prosecuted his claim, and have acted for him in this correspondence, because I am his attorney, in the ^{defense of the} prosecution on the State against him for Arson, and I regard it as all important he should be bailed out, to have his witnesses hunted up and his defense prepared, to say nothing of the insecurity of his remaining in jail —

Respectfully

C. F. Burriam

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Richmond Ky

December 10-1869

Burnham A. R.

Enquiries about the Money of
Frank Million in possession
of Col. Runkle - wants same
forwarded to him at once - on
send word how ^{he} can get it - is
in fact on unfounded charges
of Arson - 100% have agreed - if he had
the money - could deposit that
and - be liberated -

Burnham A. R. & A. Land
Louisville Dec 21, 1869

Respectfully returned, for
Company, Regiment & No
of Treasury Certificate
of Frank Million
Please return this letter

Chas. W. Keyes

Bt Captain USA
In absence of
Col B. P. Runkle

Richmond Ky

Dec 10th 1869

Gen B. P. Runkle

Dear Sir

A negrow man, by
the name of Frank Million requests me
to write you in reference to a claim
he has against the Government for \$200
which has been allowed and the money
sent you to pay off. So he is informed
by the Authorities at Washington. He
has also letters from you to that effect.
Once you notified him to meet you at
Lexington but he did not get the ^{letter} money
until too late to be there again you
wrote him to come to Standford, but
you were gone when he got there.
Since that time he has been to
Louisville but you were out of the
city, and he could not accomplish
any thing. He is very poor, and
has been thrown in jail on a
groundless charge of Arson, and

his bail fixed at One Hundred Dollars. If he had his money he could deposit the amount of his bail, as a forfeit in case he did not appear at the trial, and so get out. You will see therefore how much he needs the money and I hope you will give the matter your personal attention and send on to him the amount or if you cannot do that write me what remains to be done, and I will help him have it attended to. He has been put to considerable expense trying to get the money, and does not wish any farther outlay. Please write me at once

yours Respectfully
 AR Burman
 Richmond

By

Bureau R. I. & A. Lands
 Louisville Dec 22, 1869

C. F. Burnam Esq
 Richmond Ky
 Sir

I am directed by Col Ben B. Runkle Disbursing Officer State of Kentucky, to inform you that your letter to Col Wharton has been received and to request you to send to this Office the name of the Co & Regiment of which Grant's delay was a member also the name of his Claim Agent and the date of filing said claim.

This information is required in order to obtain information in regard to status of claim.

Please return this letter.

Very Respectfully Your ob't Servt
 Chap. M. Keyes
 Fort Captain USA

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Shelbyville Ky

Decr 23. 69.

Thos. S. Baxter

States that his School House
was partially burned down
the other night. would
like to have his Checks
for Oct & Nov -

Wm

Wm
Shelbyville Ky
Decr 23. 69.

Decr 23. 69.

Louisville Ky
 Dec 23rd 1867

Shelburne Vt.

Decr the 23rd 1840

Br. F. Col. Ben. O. Runkle.

Louisville Vt.

Dear Sir

I must

say that I am in need very much
at present and would be glad
if you would send me those

Checks for October & November
as soon as possible for on 20th of
this month on Monday night frost-
by School house caught on fire and
done a great deal of mischief but
did not burn down yet - I cannot
teach in it. Expecting your
assistance soon I must
remain your most

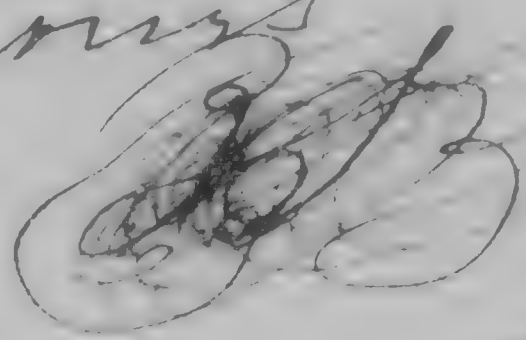
Obedient Servant,

Thos. S. Barter

P.S

I rather expect
the new house will be ready by
January the first - not finished
but enough to teach in till
warm weather

Yours



J. S. B.

P.O. Box 2,23

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Orrison 14

Dec 23. 69

Phon Lucia A

States that she has not
need any pay from Bureau
for teaching would like
to have it

~~the to the~~

Oct 5 1969 - 3
Ex Letter

Amount for 5,70

Owensboro Ky December 23rd/1868

Brevet Col Ben^g Brunkle, Sir, I have not
Received any money from the Bureau, yet. and
I am being pushed for Rent all the time. I
have to pay \$10.00 Rent per month for my
School House, and am behind. please do something
for me as soon as you can, or I will
lose my School House. I reduced ~~the~~ tuition
Immediately ~~of~~ after the Bureau Agent came down
to Owensboro, to 10 cents per month, as he instructed
me. Very Respectfully Your Obedient Servant

Julia A. Brown

P.S. This is my Third Report

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New Castle Ky
Decr 28. 69

Proton D. M.

Is thankful for Even 15¢ her
 sister is a pushing her in Leachy
 shall she keep her

~~Proton D. M.~~
 Capt. H. M.

Assessment
 Jan 7th 70
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H.B. 165 Feb 1-69

Not only appears
Munsey Co. Dec 24 69

Barry D B.

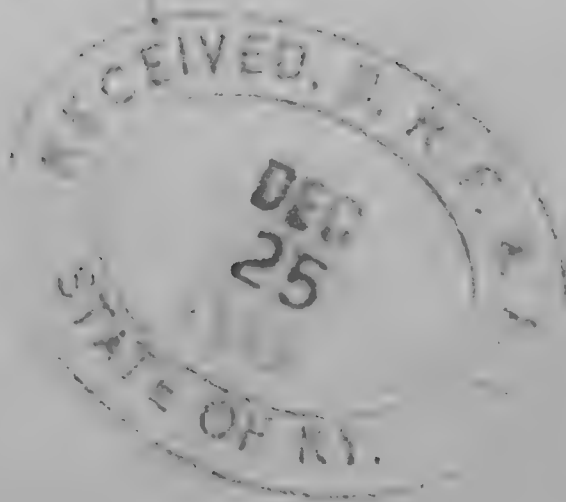
In reply to letter of 21-Ins states
that he will take charge of
the School offered - and is only
awaiting instructions to leave
at a moments notice

H.B. 3

Capt. K. E. R.

Shrewsbury

Jan 6th 70



National Military Asylum
for Disabled Soldiers

Montgomery, Ala.

Capt. C. W. Jones, U.S.A.

Dear Sir,

Yours of the 2nd is
just received. In reply I would briefly say
that I will accept the position and hold
myself in readiness to leave for you at the
first notice.

Very respectfully,
Yours,

J. B. Ball

Adjutant General

Montgomery, Ala.

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Encumbrance. 0

Decr 18. 69

Barnett Jennie E.

Acknowledges receipt of Col Runkles
now offering her the school
at Scottsville - but declines
on account of her Mother's illness.
at present - but will take
a school if there is a vacancy
during the winter -

Wm. H. Reynolds

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th inst. in relation to the matter of the 1st inst. and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
 Yours, etc.

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Cincinnati O.

Decr 30 - 1869

Barnett Jennie E.

Wants to teach School
at Versailles Ky -
97 Freeman St Cincinnati Oh

Keyes

Answered Jan 13/70

No

1841

Dear Mother

Dear Mother

I am well & hope you are the same. I have been thinking of you very much lately & wondering how you are getting on. I hope you are all well & happy. I have been very busy lately with my work & have not had time to write you more often. I am sorry for that.

I have been thinking of you very much lately & wondering how you are getting on. I hope you are all well & happy. I have been very busy lately with my work & have not had time to write you more often. I am sorry for that. I have been thinking of you very much lately & wondering how you are getting on. I hope you are all well & happy. I have been very busy lately with my work & have not had time to write you more often. I am sorry for that.



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Cherport Ky

Decr 31. 1868

Carter Benj J.

Gives dimensions of
the lot on which the
Schoolhouse stands to-
gether with names of
Trustees,

C.

1869

Recd A. L. C. J. J. J. J. J.

My dear Mr. [unclear] I have the pleasure
to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst.

and in reply to inform you that the same has been
forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.
The result of the same will be communicated to you as soon as it is
received.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
[unclear]

[unclear]
[unclear]

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
[unclear]

[unclear]

Teacher of [unclear] School
[unclear] [unclear]

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Nardin Co. Ky
Dec 31. 1868

Claybrook Edmund

Towards vouchers in
his favor for Dec Rent
1868 amounting to \$15.00

1 Enclosure

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 6-1869

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Flemingburg, Ky. Jan 4. 69
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Capt A. J.

Says she has given up
the School. at Flemingburg
Says there was no school
lost month. but the free-
men have procured another
teacher.

File

Recd A. L. O. H. Jan 7/69

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Asst Commis Office Ky
Louisville Jan'y 13. 69

Respectfully referred
to Chap. G. K. Noble
Asst Supr Schools
Louisville Ky - for
report.

By order of
Bt Col Ben P. Runkle

Levi L. Duenett

Bt Capt Wm
a a a seal

Enc. 80-1769

Henningburg, Jan 4th

Mr. Hale,

Dear Friend,

You have doubtless thought it very strange that the report for Dec. was not sent in - I will explain. I did not teach school that month nor will I again here. They have procured another teacher which I think fully capable of the position. Hoping you will not think hard of me for not writing to you e'er this, I will close. There was no school last month

Yours

A. B. Bager

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Brooklyn N Y
Jan'y 4. 69

Cathie D. S.

Bk Lieut Col

Asks 15 day Extension
from Jan'y 9. 69 - to leave
of absence granted
him by S. O. #135 - of
Dec 9. 68 -

Granted by Sec S. O. #2
Jan'y 9. 1869

Recd A. L. O. K. Jan 8 - 1869

Brooklyn N.Y.

January 4, 1868

Ant Col Benl Runkle W.A. D

Colonel

I have the honor to ask for fifteen day extension of leave from the 9th day Jan'y 1868 - as it is impossible for me to accomplish my business in less time

I am bel very

Respectfuly

Wm S. S. S.

E. C. Allen

Antdred wa

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Ashland Ky
Nov 3, 68

Beals Christopher Chal.
Trustees

Says the town do-
minated them a lot
and which they have
erected a church
& school building -

Asks \$100 from
The Bureau to fur-
ish the same

Bureau L. J. Asst Land
Asst Comm Off in Shelby Ky
Louisville. Ky. Aug 21, 1869.

Ref^d referred to Chaplain
J. H. Hobbs Asst Supdt
of Education.

By order of
But Col Ben J. Purkles
Genl F. Sumner

Ans 59 But Capt Mgt
1869 A. A. T. Genl.

Recd A. H. O. Ky Jan 11/69

Ashland Ky Nov. 3rd 1868

Ed. C. J. Turner

Lexington Ky
Dear Sir

The undersigned Trustees having in charge the erection of School house - to be used also as a Church - for the use of the Colored people of this Community beg leave respectfully to represent to you, and through you to the proper Officers of the Freedmen's Bureau.

That a lot in this town has been donated to us by the proprietors of the town and that we have erected a building thereon on which we have expended about Three hundred and fifty sum dollars. The house is covered with a good shingle roof, weatherboarded the floor laid - with door & window put in. At this point we have run out of funds - There yet remains to be done, the plastering, painting, furnishing suitable seats, and facilities for warming the house. As well as our colored friends are poor and unable to finish the work. We have obtained what we could from our white friends in the town, and now beg to appeal to the Freedmen's Bureau for aid to complete our house.

It is estimated One hundred dollars will be required to complete the building.

Should this sum be insufficient, we would
be able probably to make ^{up} the small deficiency.

All of which is respectfully Submitted

Yours

W. W. Meaus.

Hyatt Meaus,

Leopoldo Lopez. Glady

Charles his brother

Graham X Randall
mark

NARA 172
Ashland N.Y. Nov. 3rd 1868

Col. Trow

Dear Sir

I take pleasure in saying that I am acquainted with the Editors of the foregoing paper they are all sober moral worthy men have made sacrifices to progress so far as they have with the building

I Am of Opinion Christopher Smith has worked most of the summer on the house all of which he has donated. If the Bureau can consistently aid them I should say the money was worthily bestowed

Yours Truly

Hyph Means

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Winchester Ky
Dec 23, 68

Catherwood John
Co. Clerk

Certifies that a deed
of conveyance from
Jas Flanagan and
wife to Lewis Haggan
Henry Jacoby John
Judy. Wm Irvine
Thos Jackson Edwin
Maffie & Isaac
B. B. as Trustees
for the Colored
people of Winchester
has been recorded
in his office —

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File

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 11-1869,

Flanagan Jo^l & Wife
 To & Deed
 Lewis Haggard & others } State of Kentucky }
 Clark County } Set

I John Catherwood, Clerk of Clark
 County Court do certify that a deed of conveyance from
 James Flanagan & Wife to Lewis Haggard, Henry Jacobs,
 John Judge, Wm. Irvine, Tho^s Jackson, Edward Massie
 and Isaac Bell as Trustees for the colored people of Winchester
 has been duly recorded in my said office stamped as requi-
 red by act of Congress.

Given under my hand this 23rd day of December A.D. 1868-

JH

John Catherwood, clerk

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Cloverport Ky
Jan 18. 1869

Carter Ben J. Tucker

Encloses his check
with the request that
it be cashed for him.

#15, sent to him in May
Jan 20, 1869 B. Tucker

Recd A. B. O. K Jan 20/69

Claverport Jan 18 1811

Dear Sir. My money being
entirely exhausted I herewith send you enclosed
a check. you will please have the goodness
to oblige me by drawing the amount it
calls for. And immediately forwarding the
same to me as I am greatly in need
Yours respectfully, Benj^r Carter
Teacher of Catlin School
Claverport Ky

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Manchester Ky
 Jan 19. 1869

Cary Geo

Enclosed copy of Deed
 of the Freedmen's School
 lot at that place.

L. E. Ewing

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Recd. Vol. 1. O. Ky Jan 22. 1869

Louisville Feb 2. 1869

Reply referred to
 Chap J. H. Noble
 Louisville Ky.

Could anything be
 given to this School.
 If so, how much.

By order of
 Board of Directors

Levi L. Burnett

Ent^d 114 But (Feb 11) 1869
 1869 " " " " "

Louisville Ky
 Feb 27th 1869

Reply returned with
 the recommendation
 that no appropriation
 be made for the con-
 struction of a schoolhouse
 at present

J. H. Noble

Chapman & Co. Lupt

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Winchester Aug 19 1867

Mr B P Keable

In enclosed you will find the copy of
 deed for Freedmens School lot in this place we received a
 letter from Mr Hale dated the 12th Decr stating what was
 required of us before an appropriation could be made for
 the completion of our school house the necessary papers were
 forwarded to him about the 23rd Decr but from the last we
 hear from you it seems they have gone astray but we hope
 the enclosed will get safely to hand and the appropriation
 will be made at as early a date as possible as the workmen
 are pushing for their pay we have gone on to complete the
 building upon the ~~the~~ strength of what we expected from
 the Bureau I have in my possession a check for \$15 in
 favor of Leroy Andrews directed to Gibson P.C. it was the
 letter was given to me some 10 days ago by the postman
 here upon looking at the address I found it was not for
 me I returned it to him he said there was no such P.C.
 as Gibson I went to the office again last Saturday
 night it was handed to me again upon examining it
 after I got home I found it to be the same & that it had
 been opened so I thought it best to retain it and inform
 you of it hoping to hear from you soon

respectfully Yrs

George C. King

rec'd 18 Dec 1 1869
394 Copy of

Deed
from
Jas Flanigan & Wife
to
Lewis Haggart & Son
Trustees &c

Ex Acknowledged by
Jas Flanigan & Sue Flanigan
his wife 23rd Dec 1868 J. B. 6th

Tax 50
See \$1.25
\$1.75 } paid

Clark County,
Recorded in Deed Book No 43
Folia 357.

This Deed between Jas Hanigan and Sue Hanigan his wife of Clark County State of Kentucky of the first part and Lewis Haggard of color, Henry Jacobs of color, William Irvine of color, Isaac Bell of color, John Judy of color, Thomas Jackson of color and Edward Maffie of color, as trustees for the sole benefit of the colored people of Winchester and Clark County Kentucky of the second part-

Witnesseth that the said party of the first part, in consideration of One hundred and Twenty five dollars paid and secured to be paid, that is one half cash already paid, and the individual joint note of Wm Maffie of color and Coleman Johnson of color, for the other half of the purchase money for said lot, ~~the~~ the grantor James Hanigan agreeing to ~~take said~~ take & Johnson for the balance of the purchase money, and for which they have already executed their said joint note to the said Jas Hanigan the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell, grant, and convey to the party of the second part and their successors as Trustees aforesaid the following described property, viz.

Being Lot No 5 (Five) in the subdivision of the 2 1/2 acre parcel of ground lately belonging to the heirs of Lucy W. Laughlin deceased. said lot No 5 fronting (43) forty three feet on Main Cross Street in the town of Winchester Kentucky and running back to the lot purchased by Nelson Fry of said Jas Hanigan and to the lot owned by Washington Eubanks of color.

The said Lewis Haggard, Henry Jacobs, Wm Irvine, Isaac Bell, John Judy, Thomas Jackson, and Edward Maffie all of color the within named trustees, for the colored people of Winchester & Clark County in the State of Kentucky. To have and to hold the same with all the appurtenances thereon, as Trustees for the colored people of Winchester & Clark County in the State of Kentucky, forever with covenant of General Warranty.

In Testimony Whereof, we have hereunto fixed our

signatures this 16th day of December 1858.

Jas Flanigan
Sue Flanigan

State of Kentucky
County of Clarke } Set

I John Catheywood Clerk of the County Court of the county aforesaid do certify that on this day the foregoing Deed was produced to me in Clark County and acknowledged and delivered by Jas Flanigan and Sue Flanigan his wife the signers thereof to be their act and deed which Deed is duly stamped as required by act of Congress and that I have recorded it together with this certificate in my said office.

Witness my hand this 23rd day of December A.D. 1858
John Catheywood Clerk

State of Kentucky } Set
Clark County

Winchester Jan'y 18. 1869

This is to Certify that the within is a correct copy of the Deed of a lot of land in Winchester to the trustees of the colored school in Winchester which Deed is recorded in this clerks office in this place upon which land there is no incumbrance filed in this office as appears upon record in my said office

John Catheywood Clerk

NHRH 183

"C" 20 Vol 1. 1869.

Harrodsburg Ky
Jan 22. 69

Cardwell Q. W.

Says that Miss Delila
Evans Cold teacher has
not received the School
Register & requests it
sent to her. Desires to know
if she is to receive aid from
the Govt.

One school Register sent to
her Jan 25/69

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 25/69

J. W. CARDWELL,
REAL ESTATE AGENT,

Will Buy or Sell Lands and Lots, or Collect Debts in Kentucky, on reasonable commission.

Levi J. Burnett Harrodsburg, Ky. 22nd Jan 1869.
Supt. Capt.

Mrs. Delila Evans Col'd
Teacher. at Mearns Settlement
To day she rec'd me a memorandum
on a slip of paper saying you
had sent School Rights
on the 31st Dec. & she desires
me to say that she has not
rec'd it & wants it to make
out her report. She has
not rec'd any pay since she
opened her school & wishes
to know whether or not she
is to receive any aid from
Govt. Please reply & address
Mrs. Delila Evans Mearns
Post Office Mearns Co Ky
Very Resp J. W. Cardwell.

NRH 185
"C" 22. Vol 1 1769.

Winthrop Ky.

Jan 22nd 1769

Carter Ben. J.

Teacher.

Acknowledges receipt of
\$15⁰⁰ the amt of check he
returned -

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 20 - 1769

Clonessport Ky June 22nd 1868

Dear Sir, I am gratified to
inform you. I received the \$15⁰⁰ the amount
of the check which I returned to your office.

Yours Truly

Sam J. Carter

Teacher of Catlin School
Clonessport Ky

to 37.1600 1. 1869

Fairville Jan 24 69

Catlin S. D.

But St. Cath.

Received the ap-
propriation of \$200.00
towards the purchase
of a house and lot at
Sharpsburg. Bath Co
for use as a church &
schools for the Freedmen

Writ for Bond

John A. [unclear]
[unclear]

Recd A. G. O. Ky Jan 25 1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., Jan'y 27 - 1869.

Bvt. Col. Ben P. Runkle M.S.A.

Asst Comm State Ky
Colonel.

I have the honor to recommend the appropriation of two hundred dollars towards the purchase of a house and lot at Sharpsburgh Bath Co Ky for the use of the Freedmen of said place as a Church & School. With this amount, together, with the sum which the freedpeople themselves can raise, a clear title to said house and lot can be had. Unless this amount be promptly appropriated, the sum of two hundred and five dollars already paid upon said house and lot must be forfeited, and the house and lot revert to the person from whom the same was agreed to be purchased.

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully

Yr Obedt Servt.
J. H. Batten

Original not copy 43. 1/2
Asst Comm Schools Ky

By the handwriting of
 Geo. S. Rogers. D. C. T. Rogers

My dear Mr. [unclear]

1000 [unclear]

I am very glad to hear from you and
 see by Father's paper what a
 fine interest you take in children who are
 unable to read. I will give you the
 paper and the money.

I should like much if you
 would come and see us and have
 a talk with our people here.
 We are all very much interested
 in the cause of education and
 shall be glad to hear of a school where
 I can see a black boy at a time
 I can see a black boy at a time
 at home in the night. I am sure
 you are very good scholars in
 days since but I am sure.

I am very much interested in all
 the good work you are doing
 and I am sure you will be successful.

Sharpshurg Ky, Jan 25th 1868.
 To the Assistant Commissioner of the
 Freedmen Bureau, to Wm. B. Noble,
 Supt. of Freedmen Schools, in the State
 of Kentucky, Head Quarters at Louisville, Ky.
 Gentlemen: We the Colored
 people of the Town of Sharpshurg and
 Vicinity, are compelled to ask your assist-
 -ance in procuring our school property,
 We need the appropriation of two
 hundred dollars to help pay the debt
 on our property, besides the house
 needs considerable repairing, to
 make it comfortable as a school
 -house; the house and lot together just
 cost us four hundred and fifty dollars for
 the property. We have paid five hundred
 and fifty dollars on it. We can raise
 fifty dollars, but we ask your honors to
 appropriate two hundred dollars if you
 please, which will liquidate the ~~debt on~~
 the whole debt on the property.
 We do hereby present you the Beator of these
 Cautions or signed, as our representation
 The said James H. Paine, ^(Witness) information
 you may rely, and on our responsibility
 you may ^(with him) trust any appropriation you
 may make ^(with him) us. Again our teacher is
 here, awaiting our preparations to take up
 her school. All of which we submit to
 your consideration. And subscribe our names as
 the Legally authorized Trustees of the School and
 Church, at Sharpshurg Ky. This 25th of
 January, A. D. 1868. Signed on other side

Milton ^{his} Lewis
 Louis ^{his} Smith
 Robert Johnson
 Wm. Gilchrist
 Milton Williams
 James Phillips
 Amos Green

P.S.

We hereby further authorize Rev. J. H. Payne
 Our Minister to sign any writings as
 a Contractor for us. all he does is legal
 OX, S, C.

635 No. 1. 1869

Memorandum
Jan 28 69

Crane & Co.
Rec.

Says (copy) that the
merchandise of Hays &
Geographical & Trees
Gardens for use in
the Freedmen's School at
at the same discount
given by Nelson, Fisher
& Co on their books &c

Keep in sight

Recd A. L. O. of Jan 29 - 1869

American Missionary Association,
AND
Western Freedmen's Aid Commission,

TRACT BUILDING,

176 ELM STREET, ABOVE FOURTH.

Advisory Board.

HON. WM. PENN NIXON, REV. G. M. MAXWELL,
REV. H. D. MOORE, EDWARD HARWOOD,
JAMES W. SIBLEY.

REV. E. M. CRAVATH, SECRETARY. THOMAS KENNEDY, TREASURER.
LEVI COFFIN, GENERAL AGENT.

Cincinnati, Jan. 28th 1869.

Bro Ben. P. Runkle,

Asst. Com. Bureau F. & A. L.

Lawrenceville Ky.

Dear Sir.

Enclosed I have sent you
Harrison's Geography and Green's
Grammar for use in the Freedmen's
schools of Ky. at the same discount
given by Wilson Hinkley & Co. on
their books. This will enable you
to show your full supply of the
one from here, or you can order
direct from the publishing house
in Philadelphia. This will give you
a most excellent series of text-
books and on the best of terms.
When you get all things ready for
action in the case of the repairs to the
buildings connected with the "Ely Normal
School" I will drop down to Lawrenceville
and do all required on our part to
make your plans effective.

Most truly Yours. E. M. Cravath, Secy.

C. 29 Dec 1. 1869

Cincinnati Jan 29

Conrad E. M.

He is here and will
be at Louisville tomorrow -

see telegram to him
Jan 29/69

Recd A. & C. B. Jan 29/69

MARR 196

Blank No. 1.

THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

The rules of this Company require that all messages received for transmission, shall be written on the message blanks of the Company, under and subject to the conditions printed thereon, which conditions have been agreed to by the sender of the following message.

O. H. PALMER, Sec'y.

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WM. ORTON, Pres't.

Dated

Cincinnati

Jan'y 29 1869

Received at

1144 am

Jan'y 29

To

Gen B B Brinkley

Dee is here & will

be at Louisville tomorrow

Em Cravath

9 collect 25

C no one 1869

Louisville Jan 30 69

Callin S J Bush
Asst Supdt Schools

Asks that three
thousand feet of
lumber be purchased
for the purpose of
constructing seats for
Freedmen's School and
that a Carpenter be
hired to construct same

Col Patton was
told to get them
made, - Feb 6/69
S. F. B.

Reed A. L. O. Ky Jan 30-1869

Louisville Ky
 Jan'y 30. 1869

Br't Col Ben P. Runkle W.S.A.

Asst Commr Stah Ky S.D.O.

Colonel.

I have the honor to ask that three hundred feet of lumber be purchased for the purpose of constructing seats or benches for freedmen's school, and that a carpenter be hired to construct the same.

I am Dear

Very Respec

Wm Oot Sur

H. Batten

Br't Lt Col W.S.A.

Asst Supt Schools

C. 41. Oct 1. 1869

Louisville Jan 30. 69

Callan J. S.

Bro L. C. & A. Spada Sch

Recommends that \$14⁰⁰
per mo be paid to
Minnie Smith for
rent of her night
school on the New
begy Road.

Granted, from Jan 1. 69

Board

Wm. C. C.

Reed A. L. O. Ky Jan 30-1879

Louisville Ky
 Jan'y 30, 1869

Brig Gen Ben P. Runkle W.S.A.

Asst Commr State Ky & D.C.
 Colonel.

I have the honor to recommend
 that fourteen Dollars per month be paid
 to Minnie Smith for rent of Buildings
 used for Freedmen's School on the Newburg
 Road in Jefferson Co Ky, about five miles
 from Louisville City.

I am Very Respectfully
 Your oth Servant

J. H. Ballin

Brig Lt Col W.S.A.
 Asst Supt Schools

C 42 Dec 1. 1869

Louisville Jan 30. 69

Catharine J. J.

Pat Leach Colonel U.

Receipts for checks
in payment of rents.
transferred to him Jan
30. 1869.

Recd A. A. O. of Jan 30-1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky.,

Jan 30 1869

Board of Col. Geo. T. Dunlap A. B. & D. J. H.

The following named Chefs

Mr. T. Morgan	Check No. 17	Jan 6	20 ⁰⁰
Miss T. Duncan	" 18	" 1	20 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 28	" 1	25 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 29	" 1	40 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 30	" 1	20 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 32	" 1	20 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 33	" 1	15 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 34	" 1	20 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 35	" 1	35 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 37	" 1	35 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 36	" 1	20 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 38	" 1	10 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 39	" 1	25 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 40	" 1	40 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 41	" 1	25 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 42	" 1	20 ⁰⁰
Miss F. H. H. H.	" 43	" 1	20 ⁰⁰

1869

C 44 Dec 1. 1869

New Chester Jan 30. 1869

Cary Geo

Asks about the appropri-
ation to complete their
School. house.

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Recd A. C. O. K. Feb 2-1869

Winchester Jan'y 30. 1869

Col B. P. Runkle

Sir, Yrs dated the 13th is stating that our application for aid to complete our school house dated Dec^r 4th Dec^r had been returned to Mr Hale, requesting an affidavit before an appropriation could be made. the necessary requirements were complied with, and the papers were forwarded to Mr Hale on the 22nd Dec^r. upon the receipt of yrs dated at Louisville Jan'y 13, stating that we had not been heard from, another certified copy of the Deed with the Clerks Certificate respecting incumbrance, was procured and forwarded to you in Louisville, hoping that would be satisfactory and that we would before this have received the appropriation. the house is now occupied by the school, and the workmen are much in want of their pay.

Respectfully Yrs

George Cary

for the
Trustees

General Order

Louisville Ky.

Feb 2nd 1869

Catlin J. S.

Postmaster

Forwards requisition
for forage & straw for
Army 1869.

L. E. C.

Recd A. L. O. Ky Feb 2 - 1869

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W Vermont Ky Jan 30. 69

Carter James D.

Gives names of claimants
whose claims are allowed
and numbers of Treasury
Certificates,

Reed A. L. O. Ky Feb 1. 1869

Mount Vernon Ky Jan 30th 1869

Mr. David A. Williams. Enclosed find requir Information
as follows

✓ Dock Hiatt. Late Private Co "E" 100th Regt U.S.
Colored Infantry Volunteers - Residence Mount Vernon Rockcastle
Co. Ky

✓ Fanny M. Clary Widow of Fountain M. Clary Deceased
Late of Co "E" 100th Regt U.S. C & I. Residence 5-
Miles of Mount Vernon, Rockcastle Co Ky

✓ Katy Goplin Mother of Henry Crawford Deceased Late
of Co "E" 100th Regt U.S. C & I. Residence 5- Miles of
Mount Vernon Rockcastle Co Ky -

✓ Caroline Hiatt Widow of Stephen Hiatt Deceased
Late Private Co "E" 100th Regt U.S. C & I. Residence 7
Miles of Mount Vernon Rockcastle Co Ky

✓ Albert Gess Late a Private Co "C" 109 Regt U.S. C
Infantry Bobs Residence 5- miles of Mount Vernon Ky

✓ Dock Hiatt Bounty Certificate No 474 737

✓ Fanny M. Clary " " 474 741

✓ Katy Goplin " " 474 736

✓ Caroline Hiatt " " 474. 738

✓ Albert Gess " " 493 396

My fee in the above Claims has been paid by Major
General O. O. Howard. and the money is ready for the
Claimants

James G. Carter Atty
for Claimants

648 Dec 1, 1869

Louisville Feb 5, 1869

Catharine D. S.
Post-Sent Colonel,

Recommends that Hurlbros
(\$32, Dues to be paid \$6)
Max Stearns for rent of build-
ing for Freedmen's School
situated on Hancock Street
Louisville from Jan 1 (69)

Recd A. L. O. Ky Feb 1 - 1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., July 5 1869.

Port Col Ben P. Runkle was
 Asst Comm State Ky & D.O.
 Colonel.

I have the honor to recommend
 that thirty two Dollars per month
 rent be paid to Max Sterne Esq
 for use of building for Freedmen^{School}
 situated in Hancock St Louisville
 Ky. to commence Jan'y 1. 1869

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully
 Your Obedt Servant
 J. C. Ballin

Port Ar Col was
 Asst Supr Schools

1869

Aug. 1. 1869

Louisville Ky
July 5. 69

Catlin J. J.

Deed Book

Records payment of rents
as follows:

Mary L. Price \$15 pr mo. from Jan 1. 69
(Corner 12 & Market Sts Louisville)

W. W. Jennings \$20 pr mo. Jan 1. 69
(9 & Walnut Streets Louisville)

W. H. Gibson \$10. pr mo. Jan 1. 69
(Walnut Street Louisville)

Mrs Eliza Stansbury \$20. pr mo. Jan 1. 69
(15th Street Louisville)

Jas. L. Adams \$10. vic \$20. pr mo. Jan 1. 69
(3rd Street Louisville)

Lavina Brady \$15 pr. mo. Feb 1. 69
Leeds 7 pr mo. Madison City

U. M. Clarkson \$10 pr. mo. Jan 1. 69
Walnut St. Louisville,

Recd A. L. O. K. Feb 6. 1869
Entered —

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., Feb'y 5 1869.

Port Col Ben P. Runkle was a
Asst Commr State Ky
Colonel.

I have the honor to recommend payment of
rent per month for use of Buildings for freedmen's
school in the State of Ky as follows to date from
the 1st day of Jan'y 1869, except as hereinafter
specified.

right	✓ Mrs Mary L. Price	\$15 per month	for rent of building	
	Cor 12 th and Market Streets	Louisville Ky.		
right	W. M. Jennings	\$20 per month	for rent of building	
	in 9 th St	Louisville Ky	Entered	
right	W. H. Gibson	\$10	Walnut St
day	Mrs Eliza Steinebuck	\$20	13 th St
right	John L Adams	\$10 vic \$20	.. Entered ..	5 th ..
day	Lavinia Brady	\$15	.. Entered ..	Sills James Harlan
	Co Ky to date from Feb'y 1, 1869	Entered		
right	W. M. Clarkson	\$15	Walnut St

Respectfully & obt Servt
J. C. Ballin
Asst Supr Schools

657 Dec 1. 1869

Louisville Feb 5. 69

Catlin J. J.

Bartholomew Colony

Recommend that \$20
per mo rent be paid
to D. Corb for use of
building used for Freed-
mens School on Hancock
Street Louisville to date
Jan 1st 1869

extended,

Recd A. C. S. Ky Feb 6-1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., Feb'y 5 1869.

Br Col Ben P. Runkh wca
Asst Commr Stch Ky
Colonel.

I have the honor to recommend
that twenty dollars per month rent
be paid to B. Gier for use of building
used for Freedmen's school situated in
Hancock St Louisville Ky to commence
Jan'y 1, 1869.

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully
Yr gbl Servant

E. H. Batten

Br Lt Col wca
Asst Supr School

By the Hon. Commr

Feb 1. 1869

Louisville Feby 6. 1869

Catlin I. O.

Pat Lusk Cal

Recommends that \$20 per
mo rent be paid to
Allen Allensworth for
use of building on
Christmas farm Jeff
Co Ky for freedmens school
to date from Jan 1. 1869

#

granted

Recd A. L. O. Ky Feb 6. 1869

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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., July 6 - 1869.

Br Col Ben P. Runkle M.D.
Asst Commr Office State Ky
Colonel

I have the honor to recommend that
twenty dollars per month rent be paid from
the funds of this Bureau to Allen Allensworth
for use of building on Christmas farm
Jefferson Co Ky. for Freedmen's school. to
date from Jan'y 1. 1869.

I am Colonel
Very Respectfully
Yours
J. H. Buttin
Br Col M.D.
Asst Supr School

6. 32. 100 1. 1869

Louisville Feb 8 1869

Callie J. J.

Pat L. P. R.

Recommends \$15 per Ma
for rent of building used as
Freedmens School on Trayson
Street Louisville Ky. from
Jan 1st 69 to be paid to
A. M. Shorville

Entered —

Q

granted

Recd A. b. O. Ky Feb 8-1869

March 1869

Louisville Ky

Feb 16. 1869

Catlin J. & B. L. Co

West Supdr Edn

Recommends that \$2.00
per month be paid for
School building rent at
Rock Hill. Barren Co. Ky
from Jan 1. 69. to Alice
Thompson.

Granted Jan 1 - 69

Recd A. B. C. Ky Feb 16 - 1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., Feb 16 1869.

Brig Genl Ben. P.unkle u.s.a.

Asst Commr of State Ky
Colonel.

I have the honor to recommend
that twenty dollars per month rent be
paid for use of school building for
Freedmen school at Rocky Hill Barron Co
Ky to Alice Thompson to date from Jan'y

Expd 1. 1869.
Supt. Rees
Barlow
Asst Commr

I am Colonel
Very Respectfully
Yr Obedt Servant
J. H. Catter
Brig Genl
Asst Supt. Schools

C. C. Oct 1. 1869

Chesport Ky
Feb 15. 1869

Carter Benj J.
Teacher

Enclose 2 checks. for
\$15 each and requests
that they be cashed &
the money ret'd. to him

\$30- sent to him by mail
Feb 16-1869

Recd A. C. O. Ky Feb 16-1869

Clonessport Ky Feb the 13 the 1869.

Col Huntley Sir,

Your obedient Servant Again Sends, the sum of
\$10.00 The amount of two checks which you will
please cash or have the same done. And Forward to me
at this Place. as i want to meet my demands.

Yours Truly Ben J. Carter, Teacher
of Pullin School Clonessport Ky

C. 65. 114. 115

Danville Ky
Feb 18 1869

Caldwell Betsy

Receipts for 282³¹
due her as widow
of Henry Caldwell (decd)
late Pot Co E 114. 115.

Danville Ky

Feb 18 18 1869

Received the \$282 ³¹/₁₀₀ mentioned
within -

widow of Henry Caldwell (decd)
late Pot Co E 114 115, 6, 7.

witnesses

for
Betsy + Caldwell
mark.

Mr P. Barker
J. W. Gregory,

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., Feb 15th 1869.

Petey Caldwell widow of

Henry Caldwell (died) late Priv Co 8 114 U.S.P.T.
Danville Ky.

Madam,

I have the honor to enclose herewith \$282³¹/₁₀₀
in money, being the amount due you for Arrear
of Pay and Bounty on account of your deceased
husband above mentioned, the receipts for which,
signed by you, have been received at this Office.

Please sign the receipt on the back of this
letter and return to this Office without delay.

I am very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,



Wm. R. R. U. S. A.

D. O.

DOMESTIC BILL OF LADING.

Form 15.

ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY.

GREAT EASTERN

EXPRESS FORWARDERS.

WESTERN & SOUTHERN

\$ 282³

Louisville,

Feb 15 1869

Received from

Bt Col Ben P Runkle

Two hundred eighty two

Sealed and said to contain \$1100 Dollars

Addressed

Betsey Caldwell. Cold
Sanville Ky

Upon the special acceptance and agreement that this Company is to forward the same to its agency nearest or most convenient to destination only, and there to deliver the same to other parties to complete the transportation—such delivery to terminate all liability of this Company for such package; and also, that this Company are not to be liable in any manner, or to any extent, for any loss, damage or detention of such package, or of its contents, or of any portion thereof, occasioned by the acts of God, or by any person or persons acting or claiming to act in any military or other capacity in hostility to the Government of the United States, or occasioned by civil or military authority, or by the acts of any armed or other mob or riotous assemblage, piracy, or the dangers incident to a time of war, nor when occasioned by the dangers of railroad transportation, or ocean or river navigation, or by fire or steam, unless specially insured by this Company, and so specified in this receipt. In no event is this Company to be liable for a greater sum than that above mentioned, nor shall it be liable for any such loss unless the claim therefor shall be made in writing, at this office, within thirty days from this date, in a statement to which this receipt shall be annexed, and the shipper and owner hereby severally agree that all the stipulations and conditions in this receipt contained shall extend to, and enture to the benefit of, each and every Company or person to whom the ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY may entrust or deliver the above described property for transportation, and shall define and limit the liability thereof of such other company or person.

Freight,

Paid 2 U.S. Govt Rate

For the Company

H. Sewell

Wrightson & Co., Printers, 107 Walnut Street, Cincinnati, O.

Handwritten text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page. The text is faint and mostly illegible due to the quality of the scan. Some discernible words include "Dear Sir" at the top, followed by several lines of text that appear to be a letter or a list. The handwriting is cursive and somewhat faded.

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C. G. O. M. 1869

Louisville Ky
Feb 20. 1869

Catlin J. F.
Det Lieut Col

Recommends that
Five benches and five
desks be furnished
Martha Morton teacher
School Madison St
Louisville.

Recd A. C. O. Ky Feb 20-1869

Asst Commr office Ky
 Feby 20, 1869, Louisville.

Br. Col Ben P. Runkle U.S.A.

Asst Commr & c State Ky
 Colonel.

I have the honor to request that five
 benches and five desks be furnished Martha
 Norton, Teacher Colored School, on Madison St
 Louisville Ky.

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully

Yr Obedt Servt

J. H. Patton

Br. Col U.S.A.

Asst Supt Schools

Ex 5000 1869

Louisville July 25 69

William D. S. B. L. Co

Receipt for divine
checks handed him
by Col Punkle D.C.
July 25. 1869

Rect A. C. O. Ky Feb 25 - 1869

214. Paid with note cash for check

Debit for check

From Dr. Adams 221 for \$ 10.00

Adams 210 for \$ 25.00

Martha 211 for \$ 20.00

W. H. 211 for \$ 20.00

W. H. 210 for \$ 30.00

Adams

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky. Dec 25 1867

Recd of Robert Day & Son the following named checks

John C. Allen	176	25 ⁰⁰
Virginia M. Benton	177	20 ⁰⁰
Miss Morgan	178	20 ⁰⁰
George H. Morris	179	33 ⁵⁰
Edw. H. Morris	180	55 ⁰⁰
Patte Co.	181	52 ⁰⁰
W. H. Jennings	182	40 ⁰⁰
D. B. Granger	183	40 ⁰⁰
W. H. Starnes	184	52 ⁰⁰
Ann M. Spence	185	20 ⁰⁰
W. H. Langford	186	35 ⁰⁰
Marta Morton	187	20 ⁰⁰
George H. Morris	188	10 ⁰⁰
Isiah Motchelle	189	40 ⁰⁰
May L. T. Nee	190	15 ⁰⁰
Samuel Nelson	191	15 ⁰⁰
John T. Duncan	192	20 ⁰⁰
Louisa Davis	193	20 ⁰⁰

including pay. infra

Lynne Whitfield	Check No 194	for	\$20.00
Palee Reed	" " 196	"	\$15.00
Samuel Roberts	" " 197	"	\$20.00
Christa Tanager	" " 198	"	\$25.00
W. L. Fries	" " 199	"	\$25.00
W. J. Davis	" " 200	"	\$25.00
Francis Hughes	" " 201	"	\$20.00
W. J. Hammett	" " 202	"	\$40.00
W. J. Gibson	" " 203	"	\$50.00
W. J. Randolph	" " 204	including pay light	\$20.00
Adair & Co.	" " 205	"	\$25.00

J. C. Carter

Proctor & Co.
Asst. Supr. Schools.

W. J. Randolph write call for check &

W. J. Vonchess

John Adams	Check No 221	for	\$10.00
John Adams	Check No 210	for	\$20.00
Martha Olesby	" " 211	"	\$20.00
W. L. Glasgow	" " 211	"	\$20.00
W. L. Benson	" " 216	"	\$5.00

J. C. Carter

Recd. A. J. O. K. Feb 25-1904

Bye me 1869

Lansville Feb 23. 69

Callie S. S.
Post Office

Recommends that
\$25 per month in
chores of \$20 as here-
to fore be paid to
Virginia Burke for
schole rent - building
on Marshall St.

\$25 given for 2/1/69

Reed R. O. K. Feb 25/69

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky, July 23 1869

Br Col Ben P. Runkle usa
Asst Comm State Ky
Colonel.

I have the honor to recommend
the payment of twenty five dollars per
month for rent of building situated on
Marshall Street City of Louisville Ky, used
as Freedmen's School, to Virginia Banks,
instead of twenty dollars heretofore paid.

I am Colonel
Very Respectfully
Yr Obedt Servant

H. Ballin

Br Col usa
Asst Supt Schools

677 Oct. 1869

Newbury Feb 22. 69

Carey Geo.

Wrote about his school
and desires to be aided

Feb 22

Recd A. S. O. F. Feb 25. 69

Winchester N.Y. 22/1869

Col B. D. Runkle

See enclosed
you will find report (school)
for this month and the Trustees
desired me to say that on the 10th in
they forwarded to you the copy of
the Deed of School lot with the
County Clerks Certificate stating
that there was no encumbrance
on the land which they hoped
would be so satisfactory as to have
enabled them to be in possession
of the promised aid in this
not having heard from you they
feel some anxiety about the
matter & would be pleased to
hear from you on the subject
Mr Noble has not been here yet

and they feel anxious that
 something should be done for
 the indigent children the
 Trustees think if the Government
 would aid them some in employ-
 ing the Competent Teacher so that
 the monthly payments of those who
 do pay could be lessened they could
 do something towards paying the board
 & room rent of a medium teacher
 that the Bureau might furnish them
 please let us hear from you

Respectfully Yrs

George Coney

for the
 Trustees

P.S. I have rec'd a letter for Jennie
 Barnett Teacher of Freedmen's School Wm^{ts}
 I think it is wrongly directed what must I
 do with it G.C.

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Harrodsburg
Feb 26. 1869

Carroll L. Dr.

Acknowledges receipt
of 50 copies of the
Bunkles speech books
for 50 copies more.

50 copies sent to him
March 1/69

Recd A. L. O. H. Feb 28-1869

J. W. CARDWELL,
REAL ESTATE AGENT,

Will Buy or Sell Lands and Lots, or Collect Debts in Kentucky, on reasonable commission.

Harrodsburg, Ky. 26th Feb 1869.

Sir:

Col. Sam. F. Humble

Sir

The 50 copies of
your Speeches were recd and
distributed. The Col. people
were anxious for them &
still they call for more
I feel anxious to supply
them they appreciate them.
Some of the Rebels are
down on me for Circulate
ing them which only
makes me the more deter-
mined to give them out.

Can you send me 50 more.

Truly Yours
J. W. Cardwell

685 Oct. 1869

Somerset Feb 24. 1869

Chrisman Andrew C

Says he is teaching there
and asks for school
blanks

See C. R. Oct. 1869

Recd A. L. O. Ky March 1-1869

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Dorchester Ky Feb. 24

Mr. Ben. P. Runkle

I proceeded to Dorchester according to
 Your Letter I took charge of the
 School taught here to poor by Mr.
 A. B. Brant I have a very bad town to
 teach in the Col. people's people
 it is paying my board and house rent
 My board & house rent is only \$1.00
 \$7 to \$8 per year. Mr. please send me
 Blanks for the five months to come
 I not made out my report for
 the month of Feb. I have a hard
 time here to get along
 There is some men in this city
 who would break up the school if
 it was in their power. The I
 have a great many friends who
 stand to me day or night
 I am at present
 I remain C. Christman

C. H. 1869

Samuel H.

July 27, 1869

Carpenter H. J.

Says Mr. Christmas
is conducting the Colored
School in a laudable
manner & the separat-
lean & union parties
there would like it as
a great favor if the
Bureau would assist
the Freedmen.

See C. 85 vol. 1, 1869

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Recd. A. C. C. H. 18-1869

Somersel-Ky.
Feb. 27, 1869.

Gen. Benj. Renkle.
Sir.

I take pleasure in
relating to you that Mr. (Widman) is
conducting the School at Somersel - in
a very laudable manner and with the
assent of the Bureau - will succeed well
a few evil disposed persons may inter-
fere, But - as a general thing the people
are disposed to assist - The Republican
and Union Voters here would take it
as a favor to receive all the help you
can give the freedmen here.

Yours &c,
R. J. Chapman.

C. S. 5001. 1869

Louisville Ky
March 1. 1869

Catlin J. S. Post-Sent Co

Recommend the payment
of Ten (10) dollars per
month for building
for Freedmens School
on Jefferson St. to
Martha Oglesby.

\$10 - granted from Feb 1/69.
negra school.

Recd Rob. C. H. March 6 - 1869

Freeman R. T. and A. Sands
Lansing Mich. Feb. 1. 1869

Col Ben P.unkle was
Asst Commr State Mich
Lansing.

I have the honor to recommend the
payment of ~~ten~~^{eight} dollars per month rent for use
of building for Trueman's School situated
on Jefferson St Lansing Mich to Martha Oglesby
from February 1. 1869.

I am desired
Very Respectfully
Yrs affly
H. C. Allen
Brk for Col was
Asst Supt Schools

689 Jan 1869

Wm. J. J. J. J.

March 4. 1869

Charles A. C.

Teacher

Writes about her
schools, and states
the reason she expects
pay for Nov & Dec 68

File

100 pages for 1869

Recd A. C. C. by Mail 8-1869

4444 247

Br. Col. Ben. T. Knuckle,

Sir?

I have the honor of returning the inclosed Vouchers. I have sent report you Feb., I recd. a returned letter informing me that I did not teach during the months of Nov. & Dec. Please understand me I did not say I was teaching but that I was the Authorized teacher for this place & was out of a situation waiting for this there being a man here who could not get any aid for these people, if he had retired I would have entered the school on or about the 1st Nov. I asked for the pay for the time & money I lost on my trip to Cwensboro., of which I wrote you a letter of explanation. I am very much obliged for your kind remembrance.

My School is getting on very well the folks are very clever & are very well suited. I am doing all I can for the building up of the youths of this place.

Very Respectfully yours, Dec
Mrs S. C. Clark.

West Vernon Nov. 4th

1871

Cincinnati Ohio
March 8. 1869

Cincinnati Ohio
March 8. 1869

Genl. E. A. Ho.

Refers letter of Lila
Evans teacher at Eldorado
Ky. who states that she
wants black and has
received no pay.

(N)

\$20 - granted from March 11-1869

to be paid in May!

Respectfully returned to

Brig. Genl. F. H. L.
Office Asst. Commr.
State of Kentucky

Louisville Ky. March 21. 1869.

Respectfully returned to
Brig. Capt. Levi F. Burnett Adj. G.
with the recommendation
that Lila Evans be allowed
rent from March 1st at the rate
of twenty dollars (\$20.00) per
month.

William Stone

1st Lieut. 45 Reg.

Asst. Supt. of Schools

Recd. by A. B. C. H. March 21/69

Lila Evans

3.1.69 Eldorado Ky.

3.5.69

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Has rec'd no pay
needs blanks.

Respectfully opened
to Am. B. P. Runkle.
Ant. Com. Union R.
Dr. & A. L. Lammell Ky.

Eldorado
Ky.

Eldorado - Ky

March 1st 1868

Mr. A. M. Warrick

Dear Sir

I was sent
to Eldorado as a teacher. The
school was all supplied with teachers
and the agent sent me out into the
country to teach. I have been teaching
school near three months. I sent to him
4 blank for blanks he sent me one to
make out my report for the first month
and I have not heard from the agent
or received any more blanks. and have
not received any pay. I cannot make
enough off of my school to pay my board
and I need my money. I was sent out by
Captain 1st and he promised to give
me \$10. Please send me the 1st of the agent
and what I must do about getting

Recd. A. M. W. Ky - March 8 - 1869.

may pay

of America immediately

Shila Grant

Shila Grant

W. G. 30 Oct. 1869

Louisville Ky
March 13, 1869

Catharine D. S.
Bk Lienk Col

Asks that David
McCook & Co. 3rd
H⁵th U.S. Infy be
relieved from duty
as orderly & sent
to his Regiment

See letter to Gen. H. A.
Whipple Mch 17, 69

Recd A. C. O. Ky Mail 13-1869

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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Louisville 1869.

Louisville, Ky., - Mch 18 1869.

Port Capt L. T. Burnett W.S.A.

A.A. & Gene

Capt.

I have the honor to request that private
Samuel M'Leock Private Company "F" 45 Infy
be returned as orderly at these & sent
to his Regiment.

I am Capt

Very Resply

Or APD Sent

J. H. Cattan

Port at Col W.S.A.

Asst Supr Schomburg

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Austonsville Ky
March 10. 1869

Cooper Mattie
Teacher

Says she is
teaching the school
there in place of
her sister Hannah
Owsley

Recd A. L. O. Ky Moul 13-1869

Lousville Ky
March 12th 1869

Respectfully returned
with the recommendation
that the rent
paid for the school
building mentioned
within be sent to
Miss Mattie Cooper
the present caretaker
per the 1st of March 1869
J. H. Noble
Chapman & Co. Laps

March 10 1868

Dunstable

Dear Sir

By the authority of the Committee
 of the Board of Trustees I am enclosing
 the enclosed at Dunstable
 as the Committee was then held
 to stop I have a good
 day & night right & left
 & Sunday & had please accept
 I hope to be soon

Yours sincerely

W. H. Miller (or his)

I have I believe the teacher
 of Dunstable Court & the
 teacher named

695 Oct 1869

Millersburg Ky
March 13. 69.

Carmichael Mary E.
Teacher

ACK receipt of
Check for Jan'y
rent ^{and} says it
is the only one
she has received,
and that Joseph
has rec'd no pay -

Asks that she
may be paid promptly -

Rec'd to her 20 62
Indorsement only
not to be used as a cash
check 15-69

Rec'd A. L. O. Ky March 16 1869

Antes I actually substituted me
my place

Wesleyan Methodist
Society

May 6. 1861

Please answer, as soon
as time will permit

C. 96. Vol 1 1869

Louisville Ky
March 16. 1869—

Bathie J. S.
18th Light Co's

Recommends That
rent be paid for
Sundry School
buildings—

all granted except Mrs Archer,

Recd A. B. O. Ky March 16-1869

Asst Commissioner Office State Ky
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
Head-Quarters *Louisville Ky*

Louisville Ky, Mch 16 1869

Port Col Ben P. Runkle was
Asst Comm State Ky
Colonel.

I have the honor to recommend payment
of monthly rent for use of buildings occupied
as Freedmen's Schools as follows, from March 1,
1869

✓ Thomas G. Welch	Bacon Creek Ky	\$20 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀
✓ Eliza Benedict	Siberia Ky	15 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀
✓ May J. Lucas	Gordonsville ..	20 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀
✓ Sarah A. Jones	via English Brandenburg Ky	20 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀
✓ R. M. White	via J. L. Roberts Jeffersville Mo.	20 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀
✓ John A. Brown	Garrettsburg Ky.	20 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀
NO 4 20 + ^{not granted} Julia Arthur	Louisville, \$25 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀ vice	20 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀

I am Col

Very Respectly

Your Servant

A. C. Butler

Port Col Ben P. Runkle
Asst Supr Schools

MAH 260

Egg sold 1869

Springfield Mass
Mar 13. 1869

Corking Clinton, L.

Writes about the claim for
bounty of William Price

Post Co D. 109. U.S. Ct.

States that Price applies at
the A. Co. Louisville and
was informed that a
man by that name had
been paid and that
he could not receive pay
also information re

Bill of the same
Jan 4 - 1868 -
1868

Recd A. L. C. H. Mail 17 - 1868

MAR 26 1869

Springfield, Illinois

March 13 1869

Dear Sir

A Colored man by the name of Wm Price late a private in Co "D" 109th Regt U.S. Colored Infy wishes me to look after a claim of his. He filed his case with one W S Patterson Claim Agent James-town Ky - Some months since he applied at your office for his money but was informed (as he says) that a Wm Price had been paid back bounty &c and that they could not pay him - Can you give me any information about this and direct me what steps to take for him in case the wrong man was paid, as seems to be the case - and he (i.e. the Wm Price for whom I write) can prove his identity with original claimant.

If paid. when & to whom ^(i.e. in whose name) was certificate issued - to whom sent as Atty or Agt - by whom & when & to whom paid - whether by check or in money - what was date and amount of Certificate.

Hoping to receive an early reply

I remain

Yours Truly

Clinton L. Connelley

Exp Recd. 1869

Louisville Ky.
Mch 17. 1869

Walter J. S. Pat. Secy

Recommends the approp-
riation of \$100⁰⁰ for the pur-
chase of a house and lot,
under a lease of sixteen years
situated on Jackson St between
Buckenridge & Caldwell Streets,
Louisville Ky.

Walter J. S. Pat. Secy

Recd A. B. C. of March 17-1869

Asst Commr Office State Ky
Louisville Ky March 19. 1869

Port Col Ben F. Runkle U.S.A

Asst Commr State Ky
Colonel.

I have the honor to recommend the appropriation of one hundred Dollars (\$100⁰⁰) for the purchase of a house & lot, under a lease of sixteen years, situated on Jackson St. Between Breckinridge and Colwell Streets in the City of Louisville Ky. The property is offered for the above term of years for two hundred Dollars, and the Freedmen will be able to pay the other sum of \$100 at once. The house is convenient & commodious, and in view of the fact that it can be had free of rent for the school which occupies a building next to it, for which we pay eight Dollars and fifty cents, I think it a matter of economy to appropriate this sum.

I forward enclosed papers which explain the
action already by the freedom, certified by the
Presiding Elder Mr Talbot.

I am Col

Very Respectfully

Yours truly

J. H. Cattin

Ant Dr Collins
Assist Supt Schools

The following
 further say the small rooms
 Bureau to assist in the
 purchasing at various locations
 at that time in order to
 collect the best of the
 remaining in the country
 in some cases 100 ft. feet
 deep with horses 170
 feet deep in some at
 yellowish water
 cannot follow in
 a water running
 into the river
 George M. C. C.
 The other (in) land for the purpose
 that may be necessary
 in horses 10 x 3 ft
 set 10 ft in front

The following
 further say the small rooms
 in the place of the property
 as stated in the purchase
 further to see return to keep
 the house in good order
 to see that the house
 that the Bureau shall have
 or the government shall have
 the jurisdiction over the
 house for the term of 16 years
 for the use of the people
 to the (C. L.) People of
 the state after

Desmodium v. s. *Hubertii*.

Very Truly Yours

Der alte Professor war tot

on Collection, on the 10th January

Mr. William George W. C. C.

The Cygnet

... of the

1. *Yucca puberula*, H. & A. *puberula*
 2. *Yucca puberula*, H. & A. *puberula*

S. Mills & Co. Engineers

Wm. C. C. C.

1890 O.K.P., N.Y.C., March

His Excellency the Secretary

and Yulianus habet 8 p. 10. 11.

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Mr. Smith

H. H. H. H. H.

Feb. 11, 1895

The Hon. J. H. Smith of
 Nashville after receiving
 a copy of the report of your
 friendly opinion in the
 case will be all in your
 power to aid us in this matter
 like the Property Case the
 same case for, I beg to say
 the amount of the

New Brunswick
 N. B. Nov. 10, 1851
 J. H. Smith
 A. A. M. Co.
 Albany

1099 paid 1869

Amymond Tenn
Mch 20. 69

Copeland W. L.
Teacher

Requests Col Runkle
to supply his sis-
ter Mary J Copeland
at North Middleton.
Ky - with blanks
&c - - -

1 School Request &
1 " Request each
then Mch 24. 69

Recd A. L. O. Ky. March 27-1869

MARCH 27 1869

American Missionary Association,
AND
WESTERN FREEDMEN'S AID COMMISSION.
TRACT BUILDING,
176 ELM STREET, ABOVE FOURTH.

—o—o—o—

Advisory Board.

Hon. WM. PENN NIXON, Rev. G. M. MAXWELL,
Rev. H. D. MOORE, EDWARD HARWOOD,
JAMES W. SIBLEY.

Rev. E. M. CRAVATH, SECRETARY,
THOMAS KENNEDY, TREASURER,
LEVI COFFIN, GENERAL AGENT.

Cincinnati, March 17th 1869.

W. L. Coburn.

My dear Sir.

Your letter should
report - A. M. B. P. Runkle
born. B. M. R. F. & A. L.
Leavenworth Ky. and I have
so written him. She is
employed by the Rev. & I
do not understand why
she has not - been pro-
vided blanks for reports.

Most Truly Yours,

E. M. Cravath.

Enc.

Trayner, June 21st / 67

Mr. P. H. Buckle

Lawrence Hill

Place 2nd

Please

find on the other side a letter which I
received to day. I write for the purpose to ask
for information. My sister Mary (Lopokova)

who is teaching at North Middletown American
Boarding School, State of N.Y. wrote to me last week stating
that she had been teaching for over two months
and that she had not been paid any salary. She
has furnished her with blank books to make her
monthly report on but they have not furnished
her with a cash book. Please to inform me whether

the same is the case with you also whether she has been
furnished with blank one book of out please to
let me know why.

Please to give her full information

As early answer will oblige your obedient

Subsist

W. L. Lopokova

Teacher of "American School"

Trayner

Everett May

Harrodsburg Ky
Mch 22, 69—

Cardwell J. W.

Ack rec'd of check
for rent of School
at Bohontown for
Feby. 69—

Says Delilah Evans
at Mikes Settlement
has rec'd no pay
for Jan'y & Feby. 69,

Asks if Bob
Voore's Check for
bounty has passed
thro' Bureau office

Bill

Rec'd A. G. O. Ky March 23-1869,

J. W. CARDWELL,
REAL ESTATE AGENT,

Will Buy or Sell Lands and Lots, or Collect Debts in Kentucky, on reasonable commission.

Harrodsburg, Ky. 22^d Mar. 1869.

Sir:

Col D. F. Runkle

Sir

Yours rec^d with CK
Enclosed for Freedmans school
at Bohontown for Rent for Feb
of 20. And my best regards with

The school in Makes Settlement
is doing well & the
Teacher Delilah Evans has
rec^d no rent for Janry or
Febry. Please see to this &
have CKs sent to I Payable
to Bacon Makes Mcaple P.O.
Murren Co. — Send me 50 Copies
more of your Speech they go
off like hot Cakes, & are doing
good. Please inform me

if Bob Voris or Voreens,
CK for Society has paid
thru you Office I strongly
suspect that Stewart has
had hold of him & swindled
him -

Very Respy
W Cardwell

6101 West 1869

Louisville Ky
Mch 24. 69

Catharine S.
B. L. C. O.

Recommends that
Miss A. M. Levere, be
paid \$25. from Mch
1-69 - instead of \$20.
for rent of building
on Green St.

\$20 - granted for April 1869 -
after that date 1869
grant from
March 1-1869

Recd B. L. C. O. Ky March 24-1869

NRA 275
Bureau R. T. and Hands
Asst Commr office
Louisville Ky Dec 24, 69

Port Col Ben P. Runkle W.S. & —
Asst Commr State Ky
Colonel.

I have the honor to recommend the
payment of twenty five dollars monthly
rent for use of building, used as Freedmen's
school on Green St. Louisville, to Mrs Annie M.
Leven to date from March 1, 1869, instead of
twenty dollars heretofore paid.

I am

Very Respectfully

Yrs obt Serv

J. C. McCain

Port Col USA

Asst Dist Scholr

C. 106. Oct. 1869

Santon Ky
Mch 16. 69

Carr John

Inquired after
his claim for
Bounty &c

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Aban. Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER,

Washington, Mar 23 1869.

Respectfully referred to Col B P
Runkle for his information.
Vouchers sent to Louisville

Feb 18-1869

By order of
Brig Gen W M Ballou
Chief D.O.

W L Chamberlaine
Brig Maj ~~Brig Gen and Chief D.O.,~~
Bureau R., F., and A.L.

Col R -

Recd A. & S. H. Hall 11-78

NARA 278
Linton Trigg Co. Kentucky
March 16th 1869

Genl C. C. Howard
Washington.

Sir

I had my claim for Bounty
filed by Messrs Marks & Co of Louisville some
two and a half or three years ago. I can hear
nothing of it, will you please inform me
whether it has been allowed or not and
where I shall apply for my money, if allowed
Respectfully

John Carr late
Co K 8th U.S. Col. Steuben Regt.

John Carr

6110 Oct. 1869

Louisville Ky
March 27. 69

Cathie J. S.
Bk Lieut Col

Recommend the
payment of \$100. to
Thornston Davis &
Hardie Davis for
work on School
building at LaGrange
Ky - Also \$50. to Ben
E. C. Moore - for
same -

Bills enclosed -

\$57 75 has been paid
by Bank of Louisville
in the house -

Col Parker says
no more

Recd A. C. O. Ky March 27-1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters

~~Louisville Ky~~
Louisville Ky, March 27 1869.

Br. Col. Ben P. Runkle U.S.A.
Asst Comm State Ky
Colonel.

I have the honor to recommend
payment of one hundred Dollars to Horton
Davis and Hardin Davis, to be equally divided
between them, for work and labor upon the
church for Trudaman at La Grange Ky. also
fifty Dollars to Rev E. L. Moore for services
in constructing the same building. I have
investigated these claims and believe them
just. The Trudaman at La Grange are
very poor and cannot pay them.

I am Sir

Very respectfully
Yr. Obedt Servt

J. H. Cotton

Br. Col. Wm

Asst. Comm. State Ky

627 Dec 1. 1864

Louisville Feb 15. 69

Catlin D. S.

Post. Lieut. Cal

Reports investigation
of the matter of certain
claims against the
Colored Methodist Ch

at Logansport Ky. Recommended
that \$7.00 be paid to Monroe & Hatch
Lumbermen.

Paid

Recd. A. L. O. Ky Feb 16. 1869

Sumner G. Davis A. L.

Asst Quar. Office Ky

Louisville Ky. Feb 20. 69

Respectfully returned to
Post Lt Col D. S. Catlin, who
will cause the vouchers to
be sent to this Office for
payment

By order of

Post Col Ben. P. Buckle

Levi L. Bennett

Post Capt Wm

Asst A Genl

Louisville Ky
Mar 10. 1869

Respectfully returned with
vouchers signed

D. S. Catlin

Post Lt Col Wm

Asst Surg Schines

Recd back A. L. O. Ky March 10/69

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,
Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky., July 15 1869

But Col Ben P. Runkle was
Asst Commr & State Ky
Colonel.

I have the honor to report that in accordance with special order No 6 dated Asst Commr Jan'y 29. 1869 I proceeded to La Grange Ky to investigate the matter of certain claims against the Methodist Church (col) at that place. I found that great dissatisfaction existed among the members and attendants of the Church with the conduct of Rev E. C. Moore, formerly preacher in said Church. It is alleged that he received money to be applied in the erection of the Church which he neglected to thus apply. This question will be thoroughly investigated at their next annual, or rather quarterly, conference, and I therefore prefer to await this action before giving any opinion upon the question.

NARA 283

According to the weight of evidence, in my judgment there is no legal claim against the Church or the Church property.

The small claim however I would recommend to be paid viz; the sum of \$67.75 due Messrs Munroe & Hatch Lumbermen of this City. They threaten suit, and it would cost the Church more to litigate the claim than the amount thereof. If it appears that Mr Moore honestly appropriated all the money he collected to build this Church, the other claims against it ought to be paid in some way - perhaps partly by the Bureau & partly by the people.

I am, Sir,

Very Respectfully

Geo Wt Swann

A. C. Carter

Br L. C. W. S.

A. C. Inspector Genl B. R. N. S. H.

File of
S. P. Moore
1848

George Thompson

31.300

I think it is range by 2 -
 in the spring 100 1 March 2 min;
 10 2 days work at \$2.50 \$205.00
 62 by 1.25 2390
 \$176.10

The above bill is correct and whole
 signed
 H. C. Albert

C. 115 Vol. 1, 1869
Sept 1st A. 1869
Louisville Ky
April 1. 69

Chapman C-B
Luntou J. W. F
Weindell Henry

Request pay
for April 1869

Keep in sight

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1869

Recd Back April 9. 69
Recd A.C.O. Ky April 1. 69

Bureau R. F. & W. Luntou
Asst Commr Office Ky
Louisville April 1. 69

Respectfully forwarded,
Approved by
Mr Chapman
has been on duty
in this Bureau
since May 2, 1868-
Mr Luntou since
August 15, 66 and Mr
Weindell since
Mch 12, 1868

They have
been faithful Clerks
and in my opinion
deserve the amount
asked.

I recommend
that their request
be granted.

L. R. ~~Chapman~~
1st Lt Col onel U.S.A.
Asst Commr Ky

Washington, Apl 6 1869
Respectfully returned

There is no authority for
paying claims of this nature

By order of
Robt Maj Genl Howard.
F. D. Sawall
a. a. a. Genl

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., April 1st 1869.

Brig Genl E. Whittlesey

A. A. A. General

Washington D. C.

General:

We have the honor to state that we have been on duty as Clerks in the Office of the Asst Commr Bureau R. F. & A. Land State of Kentucky for many months. And having been discharged to date March 31, 69 - we are left without Employment in a State that will not in any way aid those who have rendered service to the U. S. Government.

We therefore respectfully ask that authority be given to pay us up to April 30, 1869, thus giving us one month in which to obtain Employment.

Trusting that our appli-

may meet your approval.

We are, Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servts

Charles B Chapman

J. Walter Linton.

Henry Wendell.

Recd A. B. C. of April 1897

Rev. R. P. Smith
Louisville Ky
April 2^d 1869

Kohlhaas Henry W. Jr.

States that he has been
discharged as clerk in
the Bureau and asks
pay for months of April
in order to give him a
chance to look up
employment.

Respectfully

File

Recd. A. C. O. 5 Apr 9 1869

Bureau R. & A. Sands
Asst Commr Office Ky
Louisville April 2. 69

Respectfully forwarded
Approved —
Mr Kohlhaas
has been in the
Employ of this
Bureau since Mich
1866, Has been a
Valuable Clerk.
And in my opinion
Should receive
pay for April, 69

Wm Runkle
Bk Colonel ufa
Asst Commr Ky

War Department
Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen
Washington Apr 6. 1869

Respectfully returned.
There is no authority for
paying claims of this nature

By order of
Rt Maj Gen. Roman

F. D. Swan
Asst General.

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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets.

Louisville, Ky., April 2 1869.

At Brig Gen E. Whittlessey

A, A, A General

Washington D. C.

General:

I have the honor to state that I have served as Clerk in the Bureau, R. F. & A. Lands in Ky since the Spring of 1866, and having recently been discharged and left in a state hostile to union men, without employment, I therefore respectfully request that I may receive pay for the month of April 1869, thus affording me a little time in which to procure employment.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant
Henry A. Kokehas. Jr.

C. 116 Vol. 1, 1869

Louisville Ky
March 29. 69

Cotton Chas. B.

Asks The Bureau
to aid the Colored
people of Pewee
Valley to finish
their School house
& Church to the
amount of \$292.50

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~~Underwritten~~

Granted
Keep in Sight

Q. C. K. March 30-1869

1859.
Louisville Ky. Mch 29th

Col B. P. Runkle
Louisville Ky.
Sir.

The negroes of New Valley with my assistance mainly have purchased a lot at the price of \$100. half cash balance payable in June or July - and have erected thereupon a good frame building, 30 x 50 feet - which is used during the week for School purposes and as a church upon the Sabbath - The building is finished except the plastering - and even that not entirely unfinished as all of the laths are there and mostly nailed on.

The house is without seats and they are much needed. It would cost about 150 to plaster & furnish up the room. The debt now upon the building is \$242.50 inclusive of the \$50 on the lot.

Suppose that I pay off the \$50 on the lot hold the building for School purposes hereafter, under the requirements - with the privilege of the house for a church or for sd purposes. Can and will the York aid us in paying of the entire debt. 3

I think they can procure the seats & have the plastering done & pay for the lot - And will require assistance to the extent of the present debt, say \$292 ⁵⁰/₁₀₀. The lot is a good lot worth more than the cost - well located - And the neighborhood will support a school of fifty scholars, during the summer months.

During the past winter there has been about 35 ²/₃ Lard in force.

I believe that they would be willing to donate the ground & building for school purposes - in all time to come - if they could be relieved of the debt. I think the bond for a title And the Deed could be arranged to suit the facts.

I hope that you can relieve them. I will call and see you soon. Being a stranger to you I would state that during the war, I was the 1st Deputy ^{officer} under Mr Lincoln at this point. And Collector of Customs. If necessary I would refer you to E. Hendon - W. D. Gallagher Dr - J. Bell - Rev Mr Heywood

The point on your book is known as Smiths Station not Pew Valley

Yours Truly
Chas B Cotton

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Louisville Ky
April 3. 69

Stone L. H. Esq
Asst Supt Schools

Reports visit to
Pewee Valley School
house —

Asks an appropriation
of \$342.50.
to aid the freedmen
in finishing the
house &c

See S. 116 Vol. 1. 69

Recd. A. S. O. Ky April 6. 1869

Bureau R. F. and A. Land
Asst Commr Office State Ky
Louisville Ky April 5. 1869

Respectfully forwarded approved

J. H. Catter

Per Dr Col. W. C. Catter
Asst Supt Schools Ky

Bureau R. F. L. A. G.

Assistant Commissioner's Office, Ky.
Louisville, Ky. April 3, 1869.

Rev. L. C. L. J. S. C. L. S.

Asst. Supt. Schools,

Louisville, Ky.

(Gloucester)

I have the honor to report that yesterday I visited Pewee Valley in accordance with verbal instructions from you to examine the school house at that place application having been made for aid to complete the same.

The school-house is built on a lot of land about one-half a mile from the ^{R.R.} Station bought from one Henry Smith. This lot contains about one acre.

Its original cost was one hundred and ten dollars (\$110.00) fifty of which has yet to be paid.

C. B. Cotton Esq. holds a bond for the deed whenever the balance of the purchase money shall be paid. If the Bureau will make an appropriation sufficient to pay for the work done on the school-house, he promises to pay the balance due on the land and to see that a deed is secured for it. The title he assured me, would be perfectly good.

The school-house is a one-story framed building forty feet by twenty-five (20 x 25) and about fourteen (14) feet to the plate of the roof.

It is to be heated by means of a stove.

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The building is completely lathed inside with the exception of a portion of the ceiling.

The freed people have on hand enough laths to finish this and also enough lime for plaster.

The house is battened on the outside. It has six good windows and a frame in for another.

The floor is excellent. The whole house has been very well built. There is a raised desk at one end which will serve for a pulpit.

Mr. Cotton informed me that there is now owing for materials and labor two hundred and ninety two dollars and fifty cents (\$292.50).

He estimates the cost of plastering at fifty dollars (\$50.00).

The freed people have already raised a good deal of money for the house which has been properly spent but seems to have exhausted their means.

In view of the interest shown to keep up a school here, I would most respectfully recommend that so soon as a deed of the land is secured for school purposes there be an appropriation of three hundred and fifty dollars (\$350.00) made to pay for the work already done and to finish the work on the interior of the house.

Mr. Cotton has taken an active interest in the establishment of this school and has made himself personally responsible for the debt incurred.

in building the school-house.

He and one H.D. Gallagher Esq., a strong Republican, are the only white men interested in the school.

If a grant can be made for the school, a Board of Trustees can very soon be selected in whom the title to the land can vest and Mr Cotton will attend to the drawing and recording of the deed &c.

The town is growing rapidly and the number of scholars to attend school will probably never fall below fifty. There will be many more than that usually.

If the amount recommended above can be paid towards this school, I would respectfully request that Mr Cotton be informed of the fact.

I am, Colord,

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant

William Stowe

1st Lieut. 45th Inf.

Asst. Supt. of Schools

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Louisville Ky
May 20, 69

Cook B. H. Maj Gen
By a. agent

S. O. #92, Par 3. relieving
Lt. F. A. Garretty from
duty in the Bureau

File

See S. O. #30 May 20,



Head-Quarters Department of the Cumberland,

Louisville, Ky., May 20, 1867.

Special Orders, }
No. 42 }

[EXTRACT.]

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III. The assignment of 1 Lieut.
Frank D. Garrelly, late of the
43^d Infantry, to duty in the
Bureau of S. F. and A. L. having
been disapproved by the General
of the Army, he is hereby relieved
from such duty, and will report
to the Adjutant General of the
Army as waiting orders.

BY COMMAND OF BVT. MAJOR GENERAL COOKE:

13th. (Ch. 13) P. Parker
13th. (Ch. 13) P. Parker
Louisville, Ky.

S. P. Martin

Assistant Adjutant General.

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Louisville Ky
June 10, 69

Cook K. B. Maj Gen

By a. a. agent

A. C. # 102 Par 3, appointing a Board of Survey to report upon the Condition of Certain G. M. Stones for which Col Ben P. Runkle is responsible on Board

1st Maj Gen Frederick
1st Lt William Stone
2nd " John S. Graham

File

Head-Quarters Department of the Cumberland,

Louisville, Ky., June 10, 1864.

Special Orders, }
No. 112. }

[EXTRACT.]

ALL A Board of Survey is hereby
appointed to assemble in this city, at 10
o'clock A.M. tomorrow, to examine and
report upon condition of certain Quartermaster's
Stores for which Maj. and Bvt. Col.
B. P. Finkle U. S. A. Asst. Comm. B. of A.
Paul A. L. for Ky. is responsible.

Detail for the Board.

Bvt. Maj. C. H. Frederick 1st Regt 45th Inf.
1st Regt William Smith, 45th Infantry.
2^d " John L. Graham, 45th Infantry.

BY COMMAND OF BVT. MAJOR GENERAL COOKE:

Bvt. Col. B. P. Finkle, U. S. A.

Asst. Com. B. of A. P. & A. J. Perry,

A. Martin

Assistant Adjutant General.

Louisville, Kentucky.

Louisville Kentucky
June 10th 1869

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Graham. Jas. L.

Indo LK 4 5th July.

Recorder.

Forward proceedings
of a Board of survey
convened by J. O. # 102
of No 2nd. Dept of
the Cumberland,

J. 1 B. C. May

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Head Qrs. Dept Cumberland
Louisville June 16th 1869

Respectfully returned
to Bnt Col. B. P. Runkle
Major 45th Infantry
Supt. and Disbursing
Officer Bureau R. &
and A. L. Apprond,

By command of
Bnt Maj Gen Cook
Signature
A. General

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Office Report L. M.
 Jeffersonville Ind May 31 69
 Respectfully referred to Dr
 Surg Genl J. A. Potter Report
 L. M.

W. E. Mansdon
 Dr L. M. (Col) L. M.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Third and Walnut Streets, (Up Stairs,)

Louisville, Ky., *August 20* 1869.

My dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th inst. in relation to the matter of the Freedmen's Bureau.

I have been very busy since that time, and have not had time to write you more fully. I am, however, very anxious to hear from you again, and will be glad to hear from you at any time.

Very respectfully,
Samuel R. McKim

Special Agent in Charge
Freedmen's Bureau

(Circular stamp)

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Third and Walnut Streets, (Up Stairs,)

Louisville, Ky., Dec 11 1869.

Dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the matter of the Freedmen's Bureau, and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours, very truly,
R. M. R.

The undersigned, R. M. R., is the Assistant Commissioner of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands, and is authorized to sign this certificate in the name of the Bureau.

R. M. R.



Depot Quartermaster's Office,

Jeffersonville, Ind., June 2nd 1869

Bt Col B. P. Runkle
asst Com^r & D. O. B. R. T & A, L
Dist of Ky. Louisville Ky
Colonel.

The enclosed Invoices & Receipts
referred to me by Bt Lt Col Ransom own. are
respectfully returned, the condition of the property
on the Invoices does not correspond with the actual
condition of it, the cooking Range & fixtures
are unserviceable, The two hanging Lamps are
only oil cups for hanging Lamps, there was also
turned into the Depot 23 Heating Stoves, unserviceable
but not inserted on the Invoices. will you please
furnish me with corrected Invoices, dated June 1/69.
The enclosed is a copy of the Inspection List of the property
when received, and in no other way will it be receipted for
Respectfully
Your obedt Servant
P. A. Potter
Bt Brig Genl & own of a

Out of the way

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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Third and Walnut Streets, (Up Stairs,)

Louisville, Ky., June 4th 1869.

Col J. P. Martin
A. A. General &
Louisville Ky.

Colonel;

I have the honor respectfully to request that a Board of Survey be appointed to report upon the condition of certain Quarter master's stores for which I am responsible and to fix the responsibility for the condition of such as may be found unserviceable.

Very Respectfully

8 Enclosure

Your Obedt Servt
Wm R. Runkle
Bt Colonel U.S.A.
Supt Ed & D. O. S.

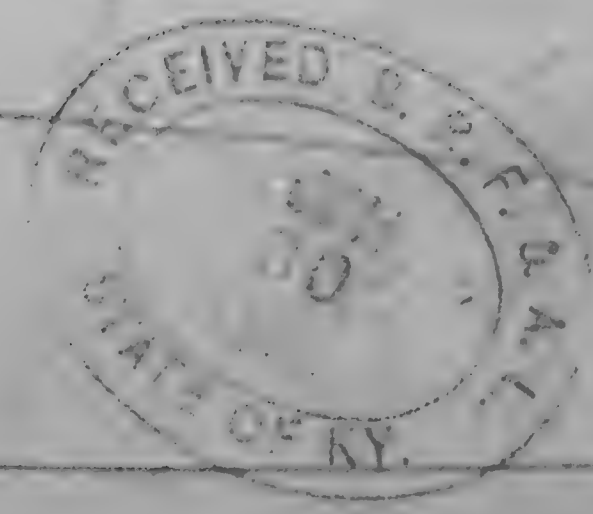
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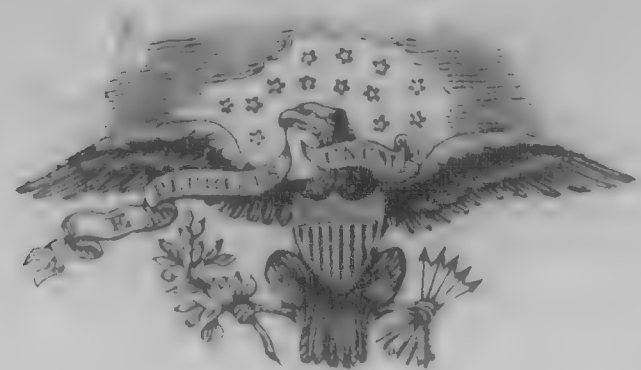
1 one, Blank Case unserviceable ✓
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 1 one Range & Fixtures do ✓
 3 Three Galvon Kettles, cast iron Serviceable ✓
 300 Three hundred lbs Grate Bars unserviceable ✓
 2 Two Small water Tanks do ✓
 4 Four Water Troughs do ✓
 23 Twenty three Heating Stoves do ✓
 2 Two Foot Lamps Serviceable ✓

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File





OATH.

I, Charles B Chapman

do solemnly swear that I have never voluntarily borne arms against the United States since I have been a citizen thereof; that I have voluntarily given no aid, countenance, counsel, or encouragement to persons engaged in armed hostility thereto; that I have neither sought, nor accepted, nor attempted to exercise the functions of any office whatever, under any authority, or pretended authority, in hostility to the United States; that I have not yielded a voluntary support to any pretended government, authority, power, or constitution within the United States, hostile or inimical thereto. And I do further swear, or affirm, that, to the best of my knowledge and ability, I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter. So help me God.

Charles B Chapman

Sworn to and subscribed before me, at *Louisville Ky*
this *30* day of *Jan* 186*9*.

J. Nat. Lupton
N. J. Jeffers Ky

Q. 123. M. 1. 1869

New York City

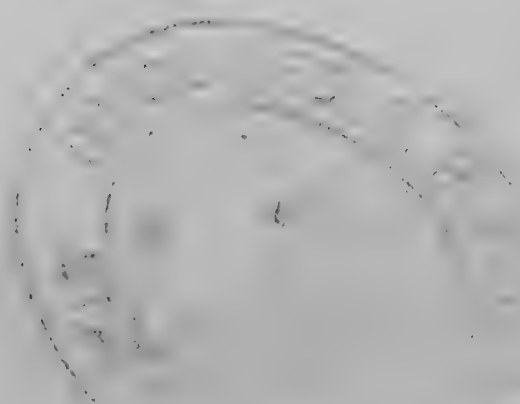
July 15 1869

Churn, Jacob F.

Bar Street Cal.

Ack receipt of order
directing him to report
to Genl. Runkle. at ex-
piration of his leave of
absence, which expires
on the 31. July 1869.

File



New York City.

No. 70 Beekman St.

July. 15. 1869.

Col. Benj. C. Runnle M.A.

Supt of Education.

Lombville St.

Colonel.

I am in receipt of Par. 2. Special Orders No 94. Current Series War Dept. Bureau R. I. & H. L. (Copy herewith annexed) directing me to report to you on expiration of my leave of absence.

I have the honor to inform you that my leave expires July 31st inst. - on which date I will so report.

I am Colonel

Very respectfully

Your Obedt. Servant.

Jacob J. Chubb.

Br. Lieut Colonel

Apt. Supt of Ed.

War Department.

Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen & A.S.

Washington June 28. 1869.

Special Orders.

No. 94. (Extract)

2. Brig. Genl. Col. J. S. Chinn on the expiration of his leave of absence will report to Col. Perry P. Runnels Superintendent of Education for the State of Kentucky, at Louisville Ky. for assignment to duty as Assistant Superintendent of Education.

By order of Br. Maj. Genl. O. O. Howard
Commissioner

(Signed)

E. Whittlessey.

Asst. Adj. Genl.

A True Copy.
Jacob S. Chinn.
Brig. Genl.

Q 126. Feb 1 - 1869

Whitehall by Aug 2 '69

Clay Henry

Report that he
belonged to Co 'J'
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Over Escalor

Ad Feb. 16-69
by R-E-J-



Louisville Kentucky
August 12 1869.

Respectfully referred to
Bvt. So Col R. E. Johnston,
St. Paul, Buffalo, N. Y.
for report.

[Signature]

Wm. B. Carson
Capt. 6th Regt.

For. Police Buffalo, N.Y.
Aug. 15 1869

Respectfully referred to
Bvt. Col. Amos A. Pinkham,
Supt. S. C. State of Kentucky
Attention invited to the
Enclosed Check on the
First Nat. Bank, Louisville
Ky. for one hundred
dollars - payable to the

Order of Henry Clay
Co. 109. Regt. - 25th
Troops - & have no doubt
that when Henry. Stands
in need of some
money - and would
be very glad to have
his money paid to
him again -

[Signature]
Bvt. So Col. R. E. Johnston

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Bu R. F & A. Lands
Office Supt Ed & D.O.
Louisville July 27

Respectfully returned
to Henry Clay for
his Rank, les & Regt
Return this letter

Bew P. Runkle
Bt Col & D.O.
for B



White Hall July 17th / 67
 Col R. J. Johnston

Sir you will please
 let me know what you have done
 with my discharge that I left with you
 to forward to Washington. I would
 like to know what condition it
 is in or if my claims have been
 allowed or not you will please
 answer as soon as you can and
 oblige
 Henry Clay

I am your attentive servant
 J. M. Garrison



AB.

Louisville Ky. Jan 8th 1869

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF LOUISVILLE

Pay to Henry Clay, Cape "D" 109" C D or Borden
One Hundred _____ **¹⁰⁰DOLLARS**

\$100.00

Marwell & Co Louisville Ky.

Robert L. Taylor
Bt Lt Col U.S.A.

His
 Henry X Clapp
 made

alt.
Shrub. Creeper

Pay to A Warren & Co
under
M. D. Sweeney
C. W. Sweeney

August - 27th 1865

Col. Russell

Sir: In

answer to your inquiry.

I was corporal in Company
D, Regiment - 109th Colored.

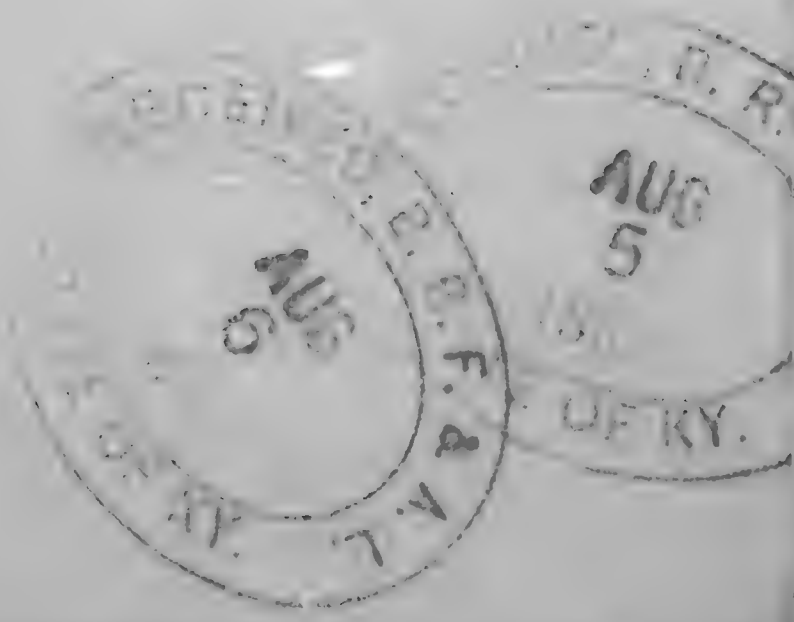
Henry Clay, Col.

Oct 27 1869
Concord Mass Aug 4 69

Cravath, E. M. Secy
S. M. A.

Says Miss Abella
Gaines called at his
office and left recpt
for Mayrent, which is
enclosed - Also that
she says she has not
rec'd pay for the month
of June 1869
Ours, E. M.

Recd
File



MAY 327

AMERICAN MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION,
AND
WESTERN FREEDMEN'S AID COMMISSION,
TRACT BUILDING,
176 ELM STREET, ABOVE FOURTH.

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SECRETARY AND TREASURER.
LEVI COFFIN, GENERAL AGENT.

Cincinnati, O., Aug 11 1869

Col Ben. P. Runkle
Supt. Education Bu R.F. & A.L.
Louisville Ky.

Dear Sir

Miss Arabella
Gaines called at our office
this morning & signed the
enclosed receipt for check
on salary for the month
of May.
She wishes to remind
you that she also taught
through the month of June.

Most Truly Yours
E. M. Cravath
per W. J. R.

Abella Gaines

Cinn. O.

Aug 26-67
Aug 6-67

Getting pay
from Bureau

Room Am. Mktg. Co.
New York City.
4 Congress St. N.Y.

Respectfully referred
Rev. E. M. Cravath
for his action.

Edw. J. Smith
Gen. S. M. Agt.
A. M. A.

Official M. A. J. A. L.
Cincinnati Aug 10/67
Respectfully referred
to Gen. Ben. P. Runkle
for his action
E. M. Cravath
Srs

Harbelle Harris

Cum. Co.

Aug 26-69

Aug 6-69

Getting ready
for in Bureau

Rooms Am. N.Y. City.
New York City.
4 August. 1869.

Respectfully referred
Rev. E. M. Cranath
for his action.

Edw. J. Smith
Gen. Field Agt.
a. m. a.

Official Mr. J. A. C. C.
Cranath Aug 10/69
Refers to the
L. Bond. Rev. D. Cranath
and sent for O. C. C.
E. M. Cranath
his

69/627

F

Wm. W. W. W. W.

July 18 70

Wilmington

My

I have sent to North Carolina
to look and they only find me
for 3 months I have been waiting
for my money a month and I have
yet it they are not for me and
have I wish you would see to it for
me because it is coming to me
I want to know what to do
at 33 now I

Isabella Gaines

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First National Bank
Evansville Ind, Aug. 6. 1869

Cutter, James H.
Cashier,

Account of \$1000 of
A. C. C. from Col. R. C. C.
and says he has placed
to his credit \$9000,

of the

CAPITAL, \$500,000.

JOHN S. HOPKINS, President.

JAMES H. CUTLER, Cashier.

U. S. DEPOSITORY.

First National Bank of Evansville.

Evansville, Ind., August 6th 1869

Col. Ben P. Runkle
Paducah Ky
Dear Sir

I am in receipt of your
favor of 4th inst and note contents
We have placed to your credit \$9,000.

Yours truly
Jas H. Cutler & Co

Sept 13th 1869
Received of
Charles A. Smith

Twenty five
Dollars
for

for the
year 1868
the sum of
Twenty five
Dollars

Wm. R. Runt
Bot. Col. near
Sept 13th 1869

Rece. - J. R. Runt



MARR 334
Lawrenceburg Anderson Co. Ky Aug 16-1869

Dear Sir

At the request of Dicey Daisey or rather Dicey Davis
I find the name Dicey Daisey on the roll furnished by your
Department for information concerning the Bounty for her
Son who lost his life in the Service of his Country who went
into the Service under the assumed name as she supposes
of Lewis Lillard any information you may communicate
will be thankfully recd by. L W Chambers for
Dicey Daisey.

Brew Col

Genl Punkle

638.201-4-1869

Cloverport, Kentucky
August 12th 69

Carthage, Tenn.
Leah

Received after next draw
 here for June 1869 -

Money sent Aug 20, 69

LM



Cloverport Ky August 12th 1869
Col Runkle Sir.

It is with Reluctance I Send you this communication
or rather you in your official duties but
urging-necessity Compels me. My pay for
June I expected to reciev in July. But August
is Half expired & no pay. yet why I write
you this I. Saw one of my neighboring Teachers
And he informs me that he has been payed
for June. & I. Thought perhaps I. might have
been neglected. I. know I. have labored faithfully
for my pay as any of my fellow Teachers & my
Children has learned as well. I. hope my
communication will not go unnoticed &
you will immediately comply with my request
and oblige your most obedient servant

Ben J. Carter

Teacher of Freedmens school
Cloverport Ky

6/187. vol 1-1869
 Louisville Sept 10/1869

Chas. J. F. Berke Col.
 Asst Supt Eds Ky
 Report on the condition
 of the new building at
 Berea, known as Berea
 College.

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RECEIVED
 1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Office Sup't Ed. and D. O., State of Kentucky,

Corner Third and Walnut Streets, (Up Stairs.)

Louisville, Ky., Sep. 10. 1869.

Colonel Benj. P. Runnels
Supt of Education
Louisville Ky

Colonel.

In compliance with your instructions I proceeded to Berea Ky for the purpose of inspecting the building erected by the Govt for school purposes at that point, the contractor having reported the completion thereof. I have the honor to report that after a careful inspection of the building and a comparison with the terms of the contract I found the entire work satisfactory and accepted the building on behalf of the United States Bureau R. F. & A. L. and placed the same in the charge of the Trustees of Berea College

Very respectfully

Your Obedt servant

Jacob S. Clark.

Brig. Genl Col.

Asst Supt of Ed.

C 158. 201-1-1869
Cincinnati O Sep 13/69

Gravath. Rev E. M.
Secy & S.

Transmits bill of
Cin. Commercial for
\$12.00 for advertising
proposal for building
Anvord Hall. Berea College
Berea Madison Co. N.Y.

One 111 Cinclos

Key
I have accounts to the
Cin. Commercial for
advertising.

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Cincinnati, O. Sept 13 1869

Col Ben. P. Runkle
Bureau Supt. Ed.
Louisville Ky.
Dear Sir.

I enclose the bill
of "Commercial" for printing, as
you will see. We have
no instructions about the
payment.

Most Truly Yours

E. M. Cravath
per W. S. R.

C. 64-2-1-1569
Cincinnati, O., Sep 29, 69

Cravath Rev. E. M.

Says he does not know
the no. of residence of
Miss Anna E. Kelley
but will see she gets
her money if sent to
him.

Check for June sent
Rev E M Cravath Sept
30 69



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Cincinnati,
Gen P. P. Runkle
Per R. F. A. L.

Louisville Ky

Dear Sir,

The address of

Miss Anna E. Kelley, Teacher
of Freedmen at Vincennes Ind.,
is Cincinnati. He cannot give
you her st. or no. If you will
forward her check to this office
we will see that it reaches
her.

Truly yours

E. M. Cravath Sec

Per R. F. A. L.

Cincinnati Ohio
Oct 8 1869

Brook Rev E. M.

Leary, Ky

Requests that the
School lot at Lexington
be deeded to Edgum
Ketchum. Treasurer of
S. M. A. at New York



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LEVI COFFIN, GENERAL AGENT.

Cincinnati, Oct 8th 1869.

Col. Ben. D. Runkle.

Sup. Education

Lancaster Ky.

Dear Sir

Please send the
School lot at Lexington to "Edgar
Kitchum Treasurer of the Amer-
ican Missionary Association, incor-
porated under the laws of the State
of New York, and to his successors
in office, in trust for said
Association".

Most Truly Yours,

E. M. Cravath.

Ben. D. Runkle

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Brooklyn N.Y. Oct 14 1869

Chamberlain, H.

Incloses checks for 18
teachers and Kentucky
says the list is incomplete
but as soon as completed
he will send money
for the balance of the
list. etc etc etc,

Col. Chas.

C 179-101-169

Louisville Ky Oct 20 69

Chas Jacob T.

Barre Vt

Recd for 18 checks

transmitted by

H. H. H. H. H.

See C. 175.

Louisville Oct 20 69
Received from Col B. P. Runkle
the following Checks - drawn
by W. Chamberlain - on the Fulton
National Bank, New York
in payment of Teachers -

# 1555	Lucy R. Hughes	\$ 15.
1556	Philip Telford	20.
1557	J. T. Shores	20.
1558	Henry Bond	15.
1559	Crittenden Lovel	20.
1560	Thomas R. Henson	10.
1561	Benj S Newton	15.
1562	James Meade	25.
1563	Elijah Marrs	15.
1564	Sam'l Sherman	10.
1565	A. Barry	15.
1566	A Howard	10.
1567	E. H. Curry	25.
1568	Mary J. Saunders	15.
1569	E. E. Hensbrough	20.
1570	Lizzie W. Hazel	20.
1571	Hannah E. Mason	15.
1572	Martha Worles	15.

Jacob S. Linn
Sec. Louisville Chamber
Capt. Henry S. Linn

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Cincinnati Oct 26th 69

Bro. Rev E. M.
Seymour,

Respecting deed
of school lot at
Lexington Ky. says
he will forward the
money. 901.50. on
his return from the
Annual Conference
when the deed can
be sent to him.



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Cincinnati, Oct 26th 1868.

Col. Rev. P. Runkle,
211 1/2 1st St.
Leamington N.J.
Dear Sir:

Yours in
favor with the statement
that the dual A-Selfing
Richard lot is ready is just
at hand. I have this evening
for the Annual Meeting of
A.M.A. on my return I
will forward check for
the \$901.50. I have no
doubt of my funds that
I cannot arrange for this
before leaving, as you
better come after bank hours

The dust may be
 forwarded to me.
 Most truly Yours,
 E. M. Crockett
 Secy.

Wm in envelope.
 and these here
 Put another
 envelope on
 and to
 Adys here

Put in envelope.
and then Seal
Put another
Envelope on
- must be
Adyt Gene

The clerk may be
permitted to see
Mont - 2nd Avenue
C. McNamee
Am:

Received the within Check this day
Louisville Nov 20. 69

Martha Morton

Brooklyn N.Y.
Nov 9. 1869

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Chamberlin H
Treasurer &c

Sends Check
to order of Martha
Morton for \$15.
for October 1869

Receipt sent Nov
12. 1869

Vanderbilt Avenue Brooklyn N.Y. Nov 9 1869.

Dear Sir

Enclosed you have a
check for Mantha Montan Larrivelle's
for fifteen dollars per October

Truly yours

A. Chamberlain

Treas of the American

Baptist Free Mission

Society

Ms. A. 9. 2. 53

Cincinnati Ohio
Nov 9. 1869

Dear Mr. Rev. E. M.

Encloses letter of
J. G. Hamilton in
reference to Exchan-
ging the School lot
at Lexington - They
Recommend
that it be done
& gives reasons.

Yr
Dear

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LEVI COFFIN, GENERAL AGENT.

Cincinnati, Nov. 9th 1862

Col. Ben P. Run Kle.

South of Ed & A

Leamouth Ky.

Dear Sir.

I find removal
better from Leamouth and hope I
can make an answer then to you.
The enclosed letter calls for an immediate
decision. I have conf. done in
Hamiltons fragment and think
you have also. It seems to me
best to change the school site for
the reasons he gives. In that case
you would make the deal to
S. S. Goodloe and I would pay
you for it. He would deal the lot
me should submit to E. G. or Titian
Co. and then would be no delay.
Please telegraph me your decision
on receipt of this. Most truly yours,
E. M. Cravath

will object to change
if you state it
recourse which
we agree to
Charles receiver
thru Dr.

It is likely

Livingston Nov 5th 1868

Brother Cravath.

Yours of the 1st
came to night and I am very
glad to be able to lay before
you a proposition which will
at once remove every difficulty
in the way of a new lot.

But first, let me say, that I
approve the selection of Rumble
because it was the best possible
at the time and I was not
aware of the reputation of the
locality. But a place which
reminds us continually of the
physical and moral disease
of human kind ought to be the
last place chosen for the location
of a school. Since writing my
last earnest letter on this subject

I have investigated the matter
 more thoroughly and am now
 decidedly opposed, that is, to
 the present location.

My reasons - 1st Houses of ill-
 fame on the Alley in rear of
 lot and in immediate neighborhood
 2nd Small Pox Hospital within one
square of the house.

3rd Its distance from the
 homes of the people who are to be
 benefited. One good reason is enough
 if a remedy is found. I have it.

Gen. W. B. Goodloe has recently
 purchased a large tract of land
 in the Eastern part of the City.
 He intends to divide it into lots
 and have it settled immediately
 by white and colored.

I stated to him to day my
 desire to change the location of the
 school if ~~an~~ a change or sale
 of present lot could be effected.

Finally, after an interchange of views, the following agreement was made between us.

He is to give you or myself the choice of a lot to ^{be} located on Constitution or Cornell Streets.

The lot to be 140 feet deep and as many feet front as we want at \$12 per ft front.

He will take our lot at \$900 (which I believe was its cost) in exchange. His lots are laid out at 100 ft deep and are selling readily for \$12 to \$15 per ft. ~~front~~ He gives us these terms because he believes the location of the house on the property will enhance its value and lead to more rapid sale of lots to the colored people.

He further says, if the Association wishes to buy a larger frontage

he will give you time on
 payment. If we effect the exchange
 we will have a lot. 75 ft front &
 140 ft deep and if 25 ft extra
 front could be purchased a better
 school lot could not be asked for.
 The advantages of this location are -
 good neighborhood, proximity
 to majority of colored people,
 beauty of the ground, increased
 size of front and growth of
 city in the immediate vicinity.
 It is not more than 60 rods further
 from the Court house than old
 lot. Money raised by dinner
 for purchase of lot can be worked
 into building in some shape
 but not until work is begun as
 many think the house will not
 be built. Nothing but actual
 sight of men at work will convince
 them. Col' Clark has written that
 vouchers are not needed any more
 from which I infer money will soon
 be coming. I am sorry to hear
 of your crippled financial state
 and will save all expense possible.
 I will see Gen Goodhue & ask him
 to hold his proposition open until
 Thursday - I will be in Cincinnati
 Wednesday noon unless something un-
 foreseen prevent. It hindered him
 you can send letter off 2 o'clock train in
 time for me to give answer Thursday

subject to change
if you state the
reasons which
require it.

Cheats received -
thanks.

Washing
London

Washington Dec-15th 1869

My dear General

Yours of the 6th

will be glad to be able to lay before
you a proposition which will
set once, remove every difficulty
in the way of a new cut.

I don't wish to say, that I
regard the selection of suitable
resources is one of the most
important and it can not
be one of the refutation of the
possibility. But a place which
is continuous in the
of the kind and several diseases
of the kind ought to be the
fact place and the location
of a desert. Since visiting my
last camp after an all night

1891 Feb 1 - 1899

Long at Sea
Nov 10 - 1899

Month Bill;

The request to confer
of each of the
condition of each of
arrangements

Feb

Read Nov 10 99

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LEVI COFFIN, GENERAL AGENT.

Cincinnati, Nov. 10th 1868.

Genl. Ben P. Runkle.

Supl. Education.

Leavenworth Ky.

Dear Sir:

Yours favor
relating to pay of teachers
comes while I was absent
attending the Annual Me-
ting. You state that
complaints are being
made by teachers that
they are allowed but
ten dollars per month.
May I ask the same
concerning in the case
of teachers letters that
are expended in your work

year when workers
suffered by the Bureau
not complaining of
the arrangements and action
of the B. of Education.
I trust that the number
of complaints will not
exceed those of last
year in the case of
the same number of
workers. We expect
the letters at once to
the B. of Education
and instruct the
workers that they are
expected and supported
by the Gov. and we
have no responsibility
bearing on the case.
I would ask the
same reference of letters
in the case of workers
you expect us to support.

We can't the act - read
 core on its merits.

I think there is
 a misunderstanding
 respecting the rebates.
 As I understood your
 proposition it was that
 in Eastern Ky. I should
 become responsible for
 the support of fifty
 workers.

I said that with
 the workers at Camp
 Nelson & Lexington I
 would agree to become
 responsible for thirty
 workers.

This was agreed to
 and soon the list
 of thirty places - under
 Camp Nelson & Lexington
 was sent me with the
 list of the workers.

employed last year
and the sum allowed
last year by the Gov.
last year.

According to my
understanding I was
to send to the most
important of these places
written with my wishes
at Camp. Nelson & Leaping
I should have there.
As I supposed these
wishes and rebukes
were to be made me
and I was to be responsible
for the wishes just as
at Elly Noemul rebuke at
Leamwill or ^{at} Leaping.
On this supposition I
sent forward, and per-
formed to the old
wishes that were
to return that I should

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LEVI COFFIN, GENERAL AGENT.

Cincinnati 18
advised the B.B. last
on traveling expenses and
by \$10. a month, stating
that he expected to collect
that sum from Gov.
I also said that a
retreat must have
thirty pupils or he
could not regard it
as a real work con-
tinuing.

All the workers expressed
themselves as satisfied
and the former workers
now returned to schools
in Central & Western Ky.
expressed regret that they
were not going out the
earlier for under there

conditions. I advised
for working expenses
to be covered into West-
min - Central & Western
Ry. as a matter of
accommodation.

Respecting several
rebounds on my list -
I know nothing. He
expressed that you offer
a correspondent - who
could place that up
right - how the con-
dition of the school
accommodations. Not
having been furnished
this, and having no
personal visit? As
we have had no
facts to go by.

The bill for rental
which you forwarded
would seem to

simply that the rebels
have been in-charge
during Oct. under the
troubles reported in-
list. In that case I
must understand you
list.

Is that before sent
to be forwarded to Wash-
ington or returned
that to you office
If you will refer all
letters relating to the
rebels under my
charge directly to me
I think I can relieve
the troubles.

Most Truly Yours,
E. M. Bravath

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Cape Verde

Just received by
express from the
Times from the Cape Verde (1)
and the Cape Verde (2)
which have been in the
Cape Verde (3)
Cape Verde (4)
Cape Verde (5)
Cape Verde (6)
Cape Verde (7)
Cape Verde (8)
Cape Verde (9)
Cape Verde (10)

1829
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Barboursville
May 21st 1869

Dear Mr. T. C. Lewis

I have been informed by one that is
going to a Head with my
School & have some 30 -
thirty scholars & he is in creating
I also have a good Sunday
School & a family one & Bible
& singing class. He is a lot
of the rebels throwing me
out of the House & he is
any teaching the Freeman and
about to pay my Board &
a salary & other expenses
I have received your letter
you sent & made report
I forwarded it on to you
I told Mr. Brown in
your report to what
extent you are going
to aid me we have no place to
send ship & have a chance
to purchase a house at least
for 400 hundred Dollars
I think that we can raise 200
our selves & then you will
let me know whether
you can aid us in that

and note God Bless You &

Yours respectfully

Geo G Locke

Bureau H. F. & S.
Louisville Dec 8. 1869

Furnish Cravath list
of correspondents for
Eastern District

Upd. Col. J. A.
Cravath Dec 8. 69

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List furnished Mr
Cravath Dec 8. 69

Recd Nov 25-69

AMERICAN MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION,
AND
WESTERN FREEDMEN'S AID COMMISSION.
TRACT BUILDING,
176 ELM STREET, ABOVE FOURTH.

Advisory Board.

Hon. WM. PENN. NIXON,
Rev. H. D. MOORE.

Rev. GEO. M. MAXWELL,
EDWARD HARWOOD,
JAMES W. SIBLEY.

Rev. E. M. CRAVATH,

SECRETARY AND TREASURER.
LEVI COFFIN, GENERAL AGENT.

Cincinnati, O., Oct 12 1869

Lt Col Jacob F. Chur
Louisville Ky.

Dear Sir,

Yours of the 1st giving
the names of persons & places where teachers
are desired was duly recd. —

Can you give us the name of some
responsible person at each place named,
with whom we can correspond in relation
to ~~to~~ prospect for schools at the points named,

We also send you some of our
commissions in blank, for those teachers
whome you send into the field.

You will please fill them out &
return them to this Office ^{for} our signature,
& we will forward them to the person to
whome they are given.

Also we send ten of our orders
for half fare tickets over the L. & N. & L. & M. R.R.

We wish to ~~have~~ have you return
to us the name of the person using
the order, number of the same, & place
from, & to which, they are used.

If you please let us have the above
returns at the end of each month.

Most Truly Yours
E. M. Crockett
per W. T. R.

P.S. You will have to get Mr. Hinds
signature as you fill out the blanks
W. T. R.

No 38. ~~33 June, Washington~~ - Reported.
No 39. Annabella Hughes. Horse Cave Ky

B. L. G. Vol 1 - 69
 November 29, 69

H. Chamberlain

Enclosed Check #1608 on
 Fulton State Bank N.Y.
 in payment of S. J. Schuch
 Salary for Nov 69 - X given
 in view in relation to
 the ~~transfer~~ ^{transfer} of school
 at Lebanon N.Y.

File

RECEIVED
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Owensboro Nov 24 1869

Dear Sir When I was at your office on Friday I did not have time to say much about the Lebanon School I could see no chance to do any thing that would be satisfactory to all parties. It would be something like buying a difficulty and besides our Society does not want to hold property permanently. I think they would have no objection to holding the building in trust but they would not be willing to buy the land. If you wish to give them a deed to hold in trust say for three years you can write me and then you could manage the school yourself or you could put it in with ours we would render any assistance in procuring a teacher. I think there should be a good teacher there and if they are able to pay as much as Giddler said they could with what the Bureau and the Society would pay a good teacher could be sustained. Enclosed I return you the chart you gave me or one in its place.

Yours,
N^o Chamberlain

By 2nd Tel - Co

Tray Ohio
Decr 9 - 64

Chas J. P.

Introducing Mrs R. E.
Harris. one of the 5 Teach-
ers - to be furnished by Rev
Chambers

Troy Ohio, Dec 9th 1869,

General Burkle,

My dear sir,

This will introduce to you Mrs R. E. Harris of Oberlin O. One of the five Teachers, Oca, Chamberlain wrote me, you desired me to look up.

I have written to Cincinnati & other points, and expect soon to be able to send on others. I should be happy to hear from you about the matter, by return of the mail.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servant
J. P. Chilcote

Q. 311. 1861-69

Cincinnati O.

December 27th 69

Cincinnati Rev E. M.

Encloses Statement of Money
paid by A M Society to Seneca
for the quarter ending Decr
31-1869 - also receipts sent
by Col Runkle signed.

(Copy Enc)

American Missionary Association,
AND
WESTERN FREEDMEN'S AID COMMISSION,
TRACT BUILDING,
176 ELM STREET, ABOVE FOURTH.

—o—o—o—
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Rev. H. D. MOORE, EDWARD HARWOOD, SECRETARY AND TREASURER,
JAMES W. SIBLEY. LEVI COFFIN, GENERAL AGENT.

Cincinnati, O., Dec 27 1867

Dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th inst. in relation to the report of the Committee on the State of the Freedmen's Aid Commission for the year 1867.

In compliance with the request of the Committee on the State of the Freedmen's Aid Commission for the year 1867, I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th inst. in relation to the report of the Committee on the State of the Freedmen's Aid Commission for the year 1867.

Very truly yours,
E. M. Cravath
for the A. M. A.

Amount of money Pd By A. L. A. & L. L. A. Com.
for school purposes in Kentucky the months
of Oct - Nov - & Dec

1887	Locality	County	Amount
Oct	Covington Ky	Jefferson	100 00
Nov	do	do	237 75
Dec	do	do	228 75

Oct	Lexington	Scott	175 75
Nov	do	do	1224 75

Nov	Spencer	Madison	30 00
Oct	Highgate	Boone	15 00
Oct	Washington	Montgomery	20 00
Nov	do	do	20 00
Oct	Franklin	Boone	15 00
Oct	Mount Vernon	Franklin	15 00
Oct	Paintsville	Franklin	15 00
Nov	Barren	Madison	15 00
Oct	Springfield	Franklin	15 00
Oct	Washington	Lincoln	15 00
Oct	Paris	Franklin	15 00
Oct	Washington	Boone	15 00

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Carbondale Ills.

Decr 28. 69

Clemens E. B.

State - That if a copy of
the New Paper or is sent
to him - he probably could
get subscribers - that he
is teaching school at
Carbondale Ills. Can
the Bureau aid him?

Key

Received

Jan 15, 70

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Carbondale Illinois
Dec 28th 1868

Rev. P. Runkle, Col U.S.A.
and Sup't of Ed
Louisville, Ky

Sir as I have
been visited by Capt Ray of Paducah
who left me one of your Prospectus and
requested me to get up a Club for your
Paper but I cant do anything without
I had a sample of the Paper

Ed if you will send me a sample
I think I can get several names for
the Paper I am teaching the colored
School at this Place I would like
to know if I can not get some
assistance from the Bureau I am getting
\$.75 per month from those that are able
Ed By this I am not getting enough to
justify me Ed if I cant get some help I

will have to close Capt Ray
referred me to you for assistance
I close hoping to hear from you
Yours Truly In haste

E. B. Clemens
Carbondale Illinois

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New Orleans La

Decr 28. 69

Chamberlain N

Acknowledges receipt of two
letters from Coe Runkle, one
containing Draft. will
forward Check for Decr.
If he does not receive the
Blank Checks from Cash
Fellows Bank will draw
his Checks on N. York

New Orleans La. Dec 28. 1869

Col. B. P. Kunkle

Dear Sir

I hasten to drop you a line to let you know that I have received your two letters one containing draft for which I will forward receipt also to say to you that I shall also send you checks for December as soon as I can get them ready I expected to have made them when in Illinois but did not get a line from you I send a check to the Freedmen Bank at your place to pay this month and requested the cashier to send me twenty five Black checks but they have not yet come to hand and if they do not come to day I shall make checks as my own leave that for the next I will write you about Columbus and

Yours truly
A. Chamberlain

Heckman

"D" 1. Vol 1. 1869.

Received Dec 24/8

Duckwall Iron Mills & Co

Receipt for Cash \$25.89
for 14000 lbs of materials for
repairing machinery. John
Dover.

1869

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 1-1870

Louisville Ky.,

Dec 29 1868.

Received from Bvt. Col. BEN. P. RUNKLE.
U. S. A., Major 45th Inf., Chief Disbursing Officer
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands.
State of Kentucky, Forty Dollars
and Cents, by Check No. 2589,
on U. S. Depositary, Louisville, Kentucky.

Duckwall Iron Mills & Co

Witness:

J. S. S. Leasler

I put to the honor to enclose herewith a check

Placed upon the receipt of the same

I can receive the same

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky., Dec 28. 1868.

*Messrs. Richard B. Russell & Co.
Portland, Me.*

I have the honor to enclose herewith Check

No. *2589* on the U. S. Depositary at Louisville, Ky., for \$ *40⁰⁰*

in payment of your account for *building materials for use
in repairing Bureau School House*

Please acknowledge receipt of the same.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Samuel R. McKim

Maj. 45th U. S. Inf., Bvt. Col. U. S. Army.

Disbursing Officer, State of Kentucky.

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Washington Ky
Jan 3. 69

Dunlap Narcissa

Receipt for check #2470
for \$20.00 Rent for Nov 68

Washington Ky.,
Jan 3, 1868.

Received from Bvt. Col. BEN. P. RUNKLE,
Maj. 45th U. S. Infantry, Chief Disbursing Officer,
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
State of Kentucky, Dollars,
and Cents, by Check No.,
on U. S. Depositary, Louisville, Ky.,

Narcissa Dunlap

Witness:

Recd. A. L. O. Ky Jan 6-1869

Recd. ... Dec 1st 1868

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., Dec 14. 1868.

Marcissa Doolap
Washington

I have the honor to enclose herewith Check

No. 24/0 on the U. S. Depositary at Louisville, Ky., for \$20.00
in payment of your account for Rent for Nov. '68

Please acknowledge receipt of the same.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

Wm. P. Munroe

Major 45th U. S. Infantry, Bvt. Col. U. S. A.,
Disbursing Officer, State of Kentucky

Wm. P. Munroe

D 4. Vol 1. 1169.

Newfordsville Ky
Jan 7. 1869

Dudley John, Esq,

Taks for the money prom-
-ised him to pay for
-plastering their School
House.

Paid
Full

Recd A. C. C. Ky Jan 8 - 1869

Manfredville, Jan. 2nd 1869

Dear Ben J. Runnle

I am sorry to hear of your
trouble & hope to hear of you
soon. I am sorry to hear of
the trouble you are having
with your plaster on your coat house.
The the work is fine & we have
got it completed. I am sorry

P.S.

please say to
Mr H. A. Hunter

that Rev. J. B. Wales is not here
in this District

Yours most a Belon

Rev. John D. Sullivan

Chas. W. Cox

D 5 Nov. 1869.

[ED. FORM, No. 3.]

TEACHER'S MONTHLY
SCHOOL REPORT

For the month of _____, 186 .

District or County, _____

State, _____

Name of School, _____

Name of Teacher, _____

Persailles



Forwarded

Received

A. C. O. K Jan 9/69

EXPLANATIONS.

If any of the within questions cannot be answered by the teacher, they may be left for the Superintendent. Place each answer, to the extent of your knowledge, opposite the question, and he will fill the remaining spaces.

Night and Sabbath schools taught by a group of teachers should be reported but once.

In the "Remarks" notice any important fact which the blank does not call for.

It is hoped that the Educational Societies will adopt this form of Report; if so, the Bureau can furnish the blanks.

Should more extended forms be used, it would oblige the Commissioner to have them include all the items of this.

BUREAU R., F., & A.L., Washington, D.C., Jan. 1, 1868.

D. S. N. 11169.

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For the Month of *December*, 18*68*.

~~45~~ To contain one entire calendar month, and to be forwarded as soon as possible after the close of the month.

~~45~~ A School under the distinct control of one Teacher, or a Teacher with one Assistant, is to be reported as one School.

Name of your School? <i>Union School</i>		[Answers placed here.]	
Is it a Day or Night School? <i>Day</i>		Location (town, county, or district)?	
When did your present session commence? <i>Sept. 1st</i>		Of what grade? <i>1st to 8th</i>	
Is your School supported by an Educational Society? <i>No</i>		When to close? <i>June 1st</i>	
Is your School supported wholly by local School Board? <i>No</i>		What Society? <i>None</i>	
Is your School supported in part by local School Board? <i>No</i>		Name of Board or Com.? <i>None</i> Am't pd. this month? <i>None</i>	
Is your School supported wholly by Freedmen? <i>No</i>		Name of Board or Com.? <i>None</i> Am't pd. this month? <i>None</i>	
Is your School supported in part by Freedmen? <i>No</i>		Amount paid this month? <i>None</i>	
Have you had Bureau transportation this term? <i>No</i>		Amount paid this month? <i>None</i>	
Who owns the School-building? <i>State</i>		How much per month? <i>None</i>	
Is rent paid by Freedmen's Bureau? <i>No</i>		White? <i>None</i> Colored? <i>None</i>	
What number of Teachers and Assistants in your School? <i>2</i>		Male? <i>1</i> Female? <i>1</i>	
Total enrolment for the month? <i>12</i>		{ Number enrolled last report, by adding new scholars and subtracting } those left school, must equal the present total enrolment.	
Number enrolled last report? <i>10</i>			
Number left school this month? <i>2</i>			
Number new Scholars this month? <i>2</i>			
What is the average attendance? <i>10</i>			
Number of Pupils for whom tuition is paid? <i>10</i>			
Number of White Pupils? <i>10</i>			
Number always present? <i>10</i>			
Number always punctual? <i>10</i>			
Number over 16 years of age? <i>10</i>			
Number in Alphabet? <i>10</i>			
Number who spell, and read easy lessons? <i>10</i>			
Number in advanced readers? <i>10</i>			
Number in Geography? <i>10</i>			
Number in Arithmetic? <i>10</i>			
Number in higher branches? <i>10</i>			
Number in Writing? <i>10</i>			
Number in Needle-work? <i>10</i>			
Number free before the war? <i>10</i>			
Have you a Sabbath-School? <i>No</i>		How many Teachers? <i>None</i> How many Pupils? <i>None</i>	
Have you an Industrial School? <i>No</i>		How many Teachers? <i>None</i> How many Pupils? <i>None</i>	
State the kind of work done? <i>None</i>			

~~45~~ To the following questions give exact or approximate answers, prefixing to the latter the word "about."

1. Do you know of any Schools for Refugees or Freedmen not reported to the State Superintendent? *None* How many? *None*
 2. Give (estimated) whole number of pupils in all such Schools? *None* No. of Teachers, *None* White, *None* Colored, *None*
 3. Do you know of Sabbath Schools not reported to the State Superintendent? *None* How many? *None*
 4. Give (estimated) whole number of pupils in all such Schools? *None* No. of Teachers, *None* White, *None* Colored, *None*
 5. State the public sentiment towards Colored Schools, *Good*
 6. How many pupils in your School are members of a Temperance Society? *None* Name of the Society? *None*
- Remarks. *None*

(Signed) *Teacher*

* Or School Committee, either District, Town, City, County, or State?

† A pupil is not to be reported as enrolled until after five days' attendance.

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Paducah. Jan 1. 69

Super L. W. Chal

Ands Resolutions re
praying for aid in
their School enterprise.

See letter to G. W. Dupree
January 18. 1869 —

see telegram to Dupree
Jan 20/69.

See letter to Dupree
Feb 24. 69 —

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 9-1869

Bureau R. F. & A. L.,
Aid Comm's Office, Ky
Louisville Jan 13. 69

Respectfully returned
to G. W. Dupree Paducah
Ky.

Colored Teachers
will be assigned
to the School. but
the Hon Secretary
of War. alone has
power to dispose
of the building

John H. Brown

The first
 subject to be
 heard is the
 is authorized to act
 as our Commissioner
 present on with all
 address and resolutions
 praying for the relief
 of our people
 whose difficulties
 E. W. Dwyer, President of the
 Executive }
 Committee }
 E. W. Dwyer
 Charles Dwyer
 George Dwyer
 George Dwyer
 George Dwyer

MAR 297
S 45 West. 1869

Frankfort Ky
Feb 4. 1869
Smith B. B. Reed
Bishop of Ky.

Wrote in reference
to Tadeus Ky School

Feb 5. 1869

Reed A. L. O. Ky Feb 5-1869

Frankfort, Feby 4. 1869
My dear General,

You are accustomed to bring about your ends, as one having authority - I, as one obliged to do the best I can. I am therefore by no means capable of advising you; but the kind & confidential manner in which you address me, encourages me to say what I should do, in the Paducah case.

I should repeat to them the assurance that I still felt myself bound by my promise that they should have colored Teachers, but that I found it a slower process & a more difficult thing, than I expected to obtain Teachers of high qualifications, whom I could confidently and strongly recommend. That I was in correspondence on the subject with every prospect of success, within two or three months.

There if you will authorize me,
I will write Mr. Greenleaf, that, as
his engagement is temporary, he can-
*not have his Niece with him, but
that you will give him \$25. a month until both are super-
ceded. And if you will further
authorize me, I will write to the
two Bardadeans, to come on, at
once, you furnishing transporta-
tion from N. Y. first to Louisville,
that you may see them, have them
examined, and then send them
on to their station.*

In the line both of clergymen
& Teachers, long experience has
taught me, that to get good men
and true, great caution is needed,
and often, of course, long delay
incurred.

But in a good cause,
let our double Motto be, "festina
lente", and "nil desperandum."

Very truly Your Fr. &c

B. B. Smith.

This will give me time to provide the needed salary for two. I have, for one.

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NRH 481
G 13 Feb 1869

Paducah Ky
Jan'y 14. 69

Greenleaf E. A. Esq
Teacher

Says his School
has increased
to nearly 100 —

Asks Colonel
Runkle to pay \$35.
per m - for an
Asst Teacher —

(30)

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 17 1869

Col J. P. Knapp

Sir:

My school has increased to nearly a hundred pupils since the 1st Aug. My largest room is entirely filled, and I very much need an assistant - Can you recommend the means for two or three months, or until other arrangements can be made? Mr John Jackson the former Dakota teacher has been assisting me for a few days, and he is willing to continue for while longer if convenient - I am very sorry to turn away from children every day - I feel that I can now do nothing, and yet my work is almost unending - If you will, please forward me some names I can send you such reports as may be required.

Respectfully

W. W. Knapp
Teacher

J. P. Knapp
Admstr

June 14th / 69

NARA 493
Brit Col. Ben. J. Puckle Chief Sup
of Freedmen Affairs in Kentucky

Sir— Actuated by a desire to
enhance our Educational interests,
we have met in convention, and
prepared this address, accompanied
with resolutions, praying you to
place in our charge the school,
built here in part by our contributions
for the Education of Colored youth.

Experience teaches us that
we can never attain a degree of culture
sufficient to make us respected, by those
by whom we are surrounded; unless we
are in some measure made self-de-
pendent, and compelled to strive for
the rewards merited by moral, social
and intellectual improvement. Instead
thereof we are represented, as a miserable
set of bigoted, prejudiced mendicants,
unable to manage our business intelligibly
and judiciously, and soliciting the aid of
Benevolent societies. While it is true, that as
a class we are groping in the darkness of
ignorance and poverty, yet we have the will
to undertake and beacon lights which if allowed
to shine uninterrupted ~~that~~ will safely guide
us through the breakers of prejudiced social.

and political adversity. We desire to foster intellectual culture among our brethren by giving preference to colored men and women as our teachers ministers &c. It only by practicing these vocations that our teachers can approximate that degree of perfection reached by the whites. They may accumulate theories upon theories yet if those precepts are not applied, and their validity tested, their training has been but a waste of time. We do not advance this idea from the promptings of prejudice but because we know that if we do not encourage each other we cannot remove the stigmas heaped upon us, nor sustain those among us, who would advance beyond that point in education which is said to be unknown to negro intellect. We believe the action of the officers of the "Bureau" of this District in encouraging sectarianism by giving charge of the school to the Episcopal Church. Such action, in we think in direct conflict with that religious freedom which should pervade all public institutions. It renders a large majority of our community perfectly indifferent who would otherwise take a lively

interest and it engenders a deep religious feeling, against which it is useless to contend. While the argument presented by the pecuniary assistance of the Episcopalian denomination is of some weight yet we ask that if their aid is not impelled by any other motive than benevolence and an anxiety to assist in the Education of the colored people, why not aid such teachers as the mass of the community prefer? we feel that we have had assistance enough; and have begun to realize the passive indifference it engenders, and the want of confidence it originates. We have been fired with the spirit of your able address so filled with kindly advice. We desire to emulate its spirit more effectually by putting into practical operation the principles there-in given. Therefore in view of the above facts we have unitedly

Resolved - That as patrons we are and of right ought to be entitled to choose our Teachers and control our educational interests unincumbered or restricted by any sectarian influences

Resolved further - That we will sustain ~~now~~ others than such teachers as we desire.

that we hold no prejudice to color but
wish to encourage our brethren in every
capacity by giving them precedence.

Resolved further that if the school house
built in the city of Paducah and for
which we contributed our means was
intended for, and to be controlled by
the colored people of said city, as has
been affirmed, the action of the "Bureau"
agents in surrendering it to the
Episcopalian Church is we think
an assumption of powers not delegated
to them

Signed. Felix Grundy
Rev. G. H. Duke. Frank Owens. C. A. Brown.
Wesley Coley. Stephen Smith. Horace Jones
Arson Moore. Lewis Berry. Kirby Hudson
Shelly Bell. Wm Hill. Jacob Smith
Taylor Stewart. Sully Fowler. John Owens
Wm Dabney. Elijah Edmunds. Amsterad Richardson
Henry Caldwell. Mrs Hill. Henry McWaters
Sophia Meyers. Charles Miller. Pompey Caldwell
Dorcas Grundy. Rosa Bell. Minerva Smith
Henry Fletcher. Nelson Owens. Cordelia Robinson
Barker Cornell. Patience Ciffer. Johanna Smith
Francis Grundy. Judy Mayweather. Lily Tillsdale
Francis Fawcett. Mary Waters. Sam Chambers
C. Allen. Robt Campbell, and a host of others

D. 7. 20th 1869

Mayesville Ky
Aug 27, 1868

Simmons E
Builder

Forwards
Bill for Lumber
&c sold C. J. True
amounting to \$60.92

117-

Mail to man
at Mayesville
one add school
teacher

Recd A. 20. Ky Jan 11 1869

Bureau of Ind AL

Asst Comm Office Ky

Louisville Jan 29 69

Respectfully referred to
Chap J. H. Noble, Asst
Supt Education for inves-
tigation as to how the Com-
mission was used. These papers
to be returned.

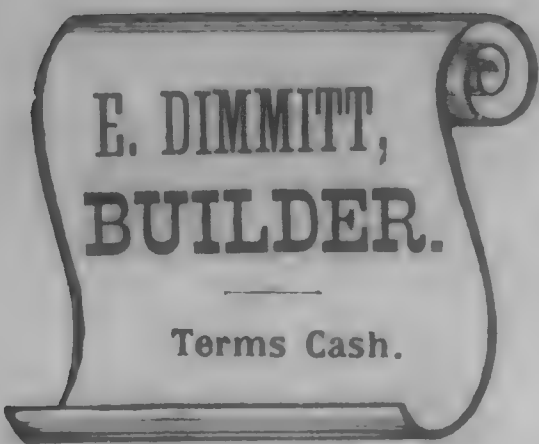
Ordering

Post Office J. H. Noble

Jan 29 69 Genl J. Burnett

1869 Post Capt USA

A. A. General



Maysville, Ky., Aug 27 1868

At Freedmen's Bureau for Col True

Bought of E. DIMMITT,

Dealer in Flooring, Pine and Poplar Shingles, Laths, Doors,

SASH, BLINDS, MOULDINGS, WEATHERBOARDS, AND DRESSED LUMBER OF ALL KINDS,

Maysville Eagle Print.

Third Street, between Sutton and Wall Streets.

Aug 27	2 Sills	11ft long	6in x 8in	a 2 1/4 ft	= 88 ft	1.98
	1 "	18 "	" "	" "	72 "	1.62
	2 Posts	10 "	4 in x 6 in	" "	40 "	.90
	328 ft	hemlock	3 x 4	a 1 3/4		5.74
	213 "	"	2 x 10	a 1 1/2		3.20
	2500	Shingles		a \$4 pr AA		10.00
	215 ft	2" Com Flooring		a 4 1/2 ft		9.72
	210 ft	3" "		3 1/2 "		7.85
	280 ft	Weatherboarding		a 2 1/4 "		6.30
	240 ft	Rough Boards		a 2 1/4 "		5.40
	200 ft	hemlock	"	a 1 3/4 "		3.50
	2 Plates	3 in x 6 in	13ft long	2 1/4 "	= 39 ft	.88
Sep 3	102 ft	Boards	a	2 1/4		\$56.39
						2.29
	60 ft	Flooring	a	3 1/2		2.10
						\$60.98

D 8. vol 1. 1869 R.R. H. H.

Hopkinsville Ky
Jan'y 12. 69

Dickenson Richmond
Chal:

Write in rela-
tion to their Bounty
Claims

Recd A. C. A. Ky Jan 14/69

Hopkinsville Kentucky

July 12th 1865

Col B P Runkle

aff. de

Lewisville Ky

Col

Permit us the honor to state that
more than a month since we wrote you
to forward our drafts to St. Louis at this place
or to his care - a first to send the receipts and
draw sign and return them to you and
then you could send the drafts - since
which we have heard nothing from you
except that you had sent them as far as
Russellville and placed them in the hands
of some persons there we know nothing
about. We had not the means nor time
to spend in going after our claims - and we
think very strange indeed you should
still retain our claims -

our instruction was if you did not
choose to send the claims here to send them
back to Washington where they had
instructions to send them here
yours with all due respect.

Richmond Dickerson

James Edmunds

Charles Johnson

G. 9. vol. 1. 1863

Paducah Ky Jan 14/69

Dupree G. H.

Says in compliance
with orders G. H. Jackson
& Controller Leavelle
elects Teachers. wishes
Col. Runkle to confirm
them.

see telegram to him
Jan 20/69.

L. A. B. O. Ky Jan 19/69
12 M.

Blank No. 1.

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O. H. PALMER, Sec'y.

WM. ORTON, Pres't.

Dated

Raduokahy Jan 19 1869

Received at

To Col Bent P Runkle

In Compliance with
orders of H. P. Jackson &
Crittenden Bevel elected
we have unanimous wish
that you confirm them

J. G. W. Dupree
Chairman

1/8 2 30 sail

Q 19 Feb 1, 1869

Danville Feb 3.69

Doran Susan

Asks if Cal Runds ~~may~~ ^{will} pay her ~~for~~ ^{for} ~~her~~ ^{her} ~~teaching~~ ^{teaching} at ~~Somers~~ ^{Somers} ~~same~~ ^{same} as others.

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See letter to Susan
Doran Feb 5.69

Recd A. B. O. Ky Feb 3-1869
3 25 5 M.

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WM. ORTON, Pres't.

Dated Danville Ky Feb 3 1869

Received at

316 p

To Gen Ben P Runkle

Will you pay me for
teaching at Somerset - same as
others answer

Susan Doran

12-25114 pd

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Louisville Ky.

Feb 6. 1869

Paris M. J.
Teacher

Says he has succeeded
in getting the number
of pupils required in
order to receive more aid
from the Government

~~File~~
File

Recd A. B. O. Ky Feb 6-1869

Louisville Ky

July 20. 1869

Respectfully referred
to Br L. A. J. Patton
for recommendation

This paper to be
returned

By order of

Br Col Ben P. Parker

Levi L. Burnett

Br Capt A. S. G.

Br A. S. G.

Louisville Ky Wed 12/19

Respectfully returned with
information that I have
investigated the within matter,
& recommend there no additional
cost be paid.

Recd back

A. S. G. Ky

March 19/70

L. A. J. Patton

Br W. L. W.

Br J. W. S.

Cap Brown
Sir I have succeeded in getting
the number of pay for that you required
of me to have. and I would be
pleased to have you come and the
know when you can make it
convenient to do so
A. J. Harris

Albany 20th 1869

Lancaster 24th
July 6. 1869

Dear Mr. [unclear]
[unclear]

I have been successful
in getting the number
of pupils required in
order to receive instruction
from the [unclear]

File

Recd 2. 2. 1869

Lancaster 24th
July 20. 1869

Respectfully informed
to Mr. [unclear] of [unclear]
for [unclear]

My father to be
[unclear]
[unclear]

Dear Mr. [unclear]
[unclear]
[unclear]

Lancaster 14th 1869
Respectfully returned with
information that I have
investigated the matter
& recommended there no action
but be paid.
[unclear]
[unclear]
[unclear]

Cap Brown
Sir I have succeeded in getting
the number of pupil that you required
of me to have. and I would be
pleased to have you come and the
School when you can make it
convenient to do so
M J Davis

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,
 Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky., January 2^d 1869

Bt Col Ben S. Runkle,
 Chief of Staff State of Ky.
 Colonel;

Pursuant to Endorsement of The
 Genl and Asst Commr of Ky, dated 29th
 Dec 1868 on letter of W J Davis, Col, Teacher
 Louisville Ky, 24, Dec 1868, I have to
 report, that upon investigation I have
 found that his school taught by
 himself and one Assistant Lucy Davis
 (Col's) in a new building 20 x 31 ft at No
 34 East Madison St (back yard) is in a
 flourishing condition with 60
 scholars,

I informed Davis that his school
 with its present members could not
 receive any additional assistance,
 Explained to him the design of the
 Govt in assisting his school as lib-
 erally as I considered it had done,

NARA 413
And that no school with less than
75 scholars could be allowed more
rent than he was receiving; viz
\$25 per month.

This is the same school
which was formerly taught by him
in Meeting Green St. Church.

I respectfully recommend
that his present rent of \$25. per
month be continued.

If at some future time
his pupils should increase to more
than 75, I would recommend an
increase of Ten (\$10) dollars per
month.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

(Signed) A Benson Brown

1st Lt H 3^d Inf Bk Capt a/c

Chief S. A. Cornin

Official Copy respectfully furnished

W. H. J. Davis in reply to his letter

of Dec 24, 1868 -

Chief Cornin's Office

July 13, 1869 -

Levi L. Burnett,

Bk Capt a/c a/c a/c

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Somerset Ky
Feb 4/6. 1869

Orand Susan E.

Wrote in regard to
her School. and asks
to be paid.

\$15- granted from March
1-1869

Enter in Books

Recd A. S. O. Ky Feb 19-1869

Bureau R. F. H. L.
Asst. Commis. Office, State of Ky.
Louisville, Ky. Mch 22 1869.

Respectfully returned to
Bot. Capt. Levi F. Burnett
A. S. H.

The report of this teacher's
School for Feb. showed that
36 scholars attended it.
It is respectfully recommended
that she be allowed fifteen
dollars (\$15.00) per month for
rent from March 1st 1869.

William Stone

1st Lieut. 103rd Inf.

Asst. Supt. of Schools.

Recd back A. S. O. Ky March 24/69

Somerset 12th 1869
Feb the 16

Dear Sir I refer to your
last letter concerning of the school
at Somerset I commenced the school
to day I had 24 scholars &
there are about 15 more sign to come
to me you refer to me you would
pay me for teaching I am teaching
about one mile & a half out of
Somerset when I received my first wages
I sat to you accordingly please answer
this by return mail the people are
paying my board & firing me the
church to teach in & if you will
pay me I will teach on the number
of scholars will be about 40 or 7

please answer this accordingly
yours truly Susan E Odian
I was afraid you never
got the last letter I refer to so
I will give answer

NARR 421

"D" Board 1. 1869

Columbia Ky
Feb 26. 1869

Doan David,

Says he has never
received his check
for Jancy rent 1869

West U. S. O. 5 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2

Columbia N. Y. Feb 26th
 Dear Col. Wm. D. Humble

Last week

Mr. T. Bradshaw sent to Louisville
 my Monthly Report and Receipts
 for February and also for his account-
 Lation for my checks for January and Feb'y
 but he was told that January had
 been paid but I never have received it.
 Mr. Bradshaw has received all of my checks
 I received October check on Nov 1 20th

Monmouth Dec 5

(Monmouth Feb 4

and for some time it was not known

Mr. Bradshaw accommodates me with credit
 if it need not ever both keep our books
 and our date in regard to the checks
 upon which are on it I state to you
 that I am not at all confident of
 the correctness of the kind I have
 been on both parties are confident of
 being correct but December check was
 the one received February 4th

The above is as I feel confident is
 correct

Very Respectfully yours

David Draper

MS. A. 9. 2. 1. 1869

Amherst Co. N.Y.
March 14, 1869

Dudley Geo. John Cat.

Notes about the Little
Blue Spring, School, regard-
ing who taught there in
October 1868

Recd A. B. O. N.Y. March 20, 1869

Munfordville Ky March 24 1869
Col Ben. P. Runkle

I have a statement about
the Little Blue Spring school I
found out Mr James B. Wallis did not
leave the month of October last that there
is a man by the name of John Harlow
he got me too witness that me to say that
that month Mr Wallis promises to
come back the first of September but he
has not been here since the first of
October I have been sick all this
year so I can not write you what I
want the schools in my District
where I travel please to return the
answer to Munfordville & tell me
what to do it about or any more
more schools please to tell me it
about Mr James B. Wallis getting pay
for teaching the month of October
John Harlow told that month
the weathering summer to be fine
by Charles Wood but he did not know
any thing about it you will see
John Harlow letter to the post office
is from more hard County Ky

the school her new in specter
 ples to send one of you ples for I have
 Bin all a Round to the schools
 ples to try to get Mr Brown to get
 the in specter to cum so we can get
 the money for plaster the
 school house I have bout sum
 of the clarnes I I have Bin very
 fit ever tens chrismas
 ples under this letter as sum as
 you get that your true serve

Rev John Duddy

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Columbia Ky
March 20. 69

Draper B
Teacher

Says unless an
appropriation is
made to build
a house. the School
there must soon
close —

Recd R. B. O. Ky March 22 1869

Columbia Mo. March 20th 1871
 Prof. John Ben. F. Dunkle

I have
 labored for near a year with
 the blacks but have been unable
 to get them to do anything about
 a school house and unless we
 can get an appropriation I think
 the school must stop for want
 of a room for the we we must
 must be given up soon

I have
 made application but perhaps
 not in the right but as you
 are the only one that I am to
 communicate, I apply to you this
 time and I would be much ob-
 liged to you for an affirmative or
 a negative and that will settle
 the matter

Very Respectfully yours
 D. Grafer

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Louisville Kentucky
August 12. 1869

Davis George.

Oath of office.

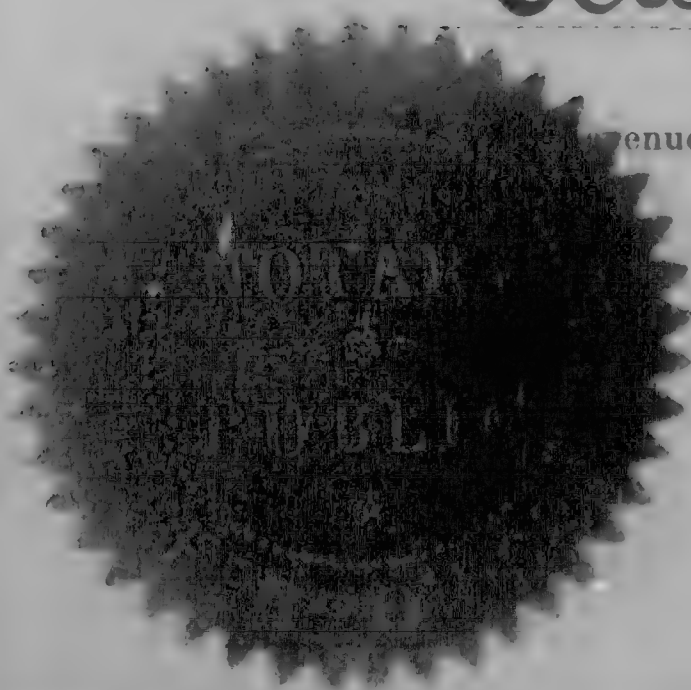
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Oath prescribed by the Act of Congress approved July 2, 1862.

I, George Davis, of Lonsville, in the
county of Jefferson and State of Kentucky
do solemnly swear that I have never voluntarily borne arms against the
United States since I have been a citizen thereof; that I have voluntarily given no aid,
countenance, counsel, or encouragement to persons engaged in armed hostility thereto; that
I have neither sought nor accepted, nor attempted to exercise the functions of any office
whatever, under any authority, or pretended authority, in hostility to the United States;
that I have not yielded a voluntary support to any pretended government, authority, power,
or constitution within the United States, hostile or inimical thereto. And I do further
swear that, to the best of my knowledge and ability, I will support and
defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that
I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without
any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge
the duties of the office on which I am about to enter: so help me God.

Sworn and subscribed to before me, this twelfth day of
August, 1869.



[venue Stamp here.]

George Davis
J. S. Baker
Not "Put" Jeff. Co. Ky
Notarial Comm. on Record in Office
of Jefferson Co. Ky. & Madison Co. Ky.
H. "Bud" Dean - Deft.

Ad 49-201-1-1869
 Commenced Chas
 Aug. 15-1869

Douglas May 1

Ad. for money due
 for teaching for
 the month of June 1869

Bills

Bills

431
Col "Runkle.

I wrote
you about two
weeks ago, asking please
to let me have the wages
for June, as I am
very much in need
of it. I would not
trouble you if I
was not.

With Respect,

Mary L Douglass

98 Freeman Street

Cincinnati Aug¹² 1861

D 55-M-1-1869

Louisville Sept 6 1869

Coram Susan. E.

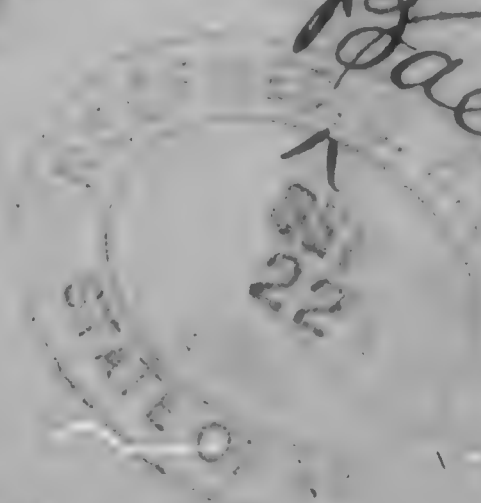
Acts pay for June 1869

Bureau R F & A L
Louisville Sept 17. 69

Respectfully returned
with blank Vouchers
enclosed for signa-
ture for June rent.

Please return this
letter -

Ben P. Runkle
M B & Co & W. O.
for W. B.
Back



I will when I get home

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Office Sup't Ed. and D. O., State of Kentucky,

Corner Third and Walnut Streets, (Up Stairs.)

Louisville, Ky., 1869.

War Department,
Bureau R. F. & A. L.,
Claim Division,

Washington,

Oct 26, 1869.

Respectfully

replied to the
Col. J. H. Smith, 1869
in a letter, by which
information that the
claim referred to should
be referred to the
March 2nd 1869 in answer
of the soldier having been
paid the entire amount
of pay and bounty, to which
he was entitled from the
Government.

By order of Bvt Maj.-Gen. O. O. HOWARD,
Commissioner, &c.

William P. Sears,
Agent Bureau R., F., and A. L.
Chief of CLAIM DIVISION.

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Louisville Ky. Oct 7th 1869
Capt. J. H. Smith, Camp 117

27- Dolan Michael
Lieut in Chg. Claim Div

Requests information
asto the status of the
claim for bounty &c of
David Coghill. Pot

115th Regt. filed with G. A.
Hall. about 1 year ago.

Enclos one

No Cert

Oct. 18. 1869

Back

Amos R. H. A. L.
Covington Ky Dec 20. 1870

Respectfully refers
to David Coghill Pot 115th
Your claim has been
disallowed

Wm. P. Sears
Major U.S.A. &c

Return is called for

560-201-169

who are in very destitute circumstances

Please inform me at your earliest convenience.

Wm. D. Sullivan

Very Respectfully

Your obt. servant

W. D. Sullivan

1st Lieut. U. S. A.

Asst. Surg. Gen.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Office Sup't Ed. and D. O., State of Kentucky,

Corner Third and Walnut Streets, (Up Stairs.)

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 7th 1869.

Cul Wm P. Drew
Chief of Claim Div.
Washington D.C.
Cul.

I have the honor to request that you will inform me as to whether or not a Bounty Claim for David Coghill, late Priv. 115th U.S. Colored Troops, has been filed in the 2nd Auditor's Office. He states that about one year ago, with a view to obtaining his Bounty, he delivered his Discharge to G. W. Hull, formerly a Claim Agent in this City. Hull, in reply to inquiry from this office on the subject, states that the claimants case was forwarded to ~~the 2nd Auditor's Office~~, in his (the claimants) own name, to the 2nd Auditor's Office about a year ago. Coghill apprehends that his agent (Hull) has not given the case proper attention, and is desirous of ascertaining the status of his claim. He is in the last stage of consumption - on the point of death in fact - and his anxiety concerning his claim is an account of his family, who

who are in very destitute circumstances.

Please inform me at your earliest convenience.

Yours

I am

Very Respectfully

Your obedt. servant

W. Dolan

1st Lieut. U. S. A.

Asst. Dir. off.

Through

Act. Col. Gen. P. Runkle

Asst. Dir. & Dir. Officer

State of Ky.

500-201-169

N. 64. 101-1869

Washington D.C.

Nov. 19 1869

Mr. P. Drew

The enclosed is a copy of a letter from the
S. P. Drew, Chief of B. D.,
Bureau of Refugees de Wash-
ington D.C., with request
that vouchers & funds in
the case of Jerome Jones,
Late Port. Co. 4. 109, A.S.C. &
may be forwarded to this
Office, and for information
relative to the status of the
claims of the other parties
within mentioned

Bureau Refugees de
Lancaster Ky.
Dec. 3^d 1869

Respectfully referred to
W. P. Drew, Chief of B. D.,
Bureau Refugees de Wash-
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E. M. Adler

1st Lt. U.S. A.
Nov. 1869

In absence of Col. Runkle

STON

BUREAU R.F.
SENT
DEC
23
1869
OFFICE CHIEF D.O.

Application of Thomas Guen, private 116th
Regt. Co. C for pay & Bounty, he applied
about 3 years ago. (Col. Dine was his atty)

Application of George Sweatman, private
4th Col. Infy, discharged at Huntsville
Alabama, for pay & Bounty (Col. Dine was
his atty)

A Col. Norman by name of Harriet Call
Mother of Henry Call & Geo. Washington Call who
belonged to the 116th Regt. Col. Infy, who died of Small
Pox in the Service, wants information as to her
claim as mother of her sons, She stated to
me that she got a Mr. Bomar to fix up her pa-
pers for her a long time ago. I seen Bomar, the told
me he had handed the papers over to H. C. Howard
of Mount Airy N.C. I wrote to him, he answered
that he had no recollection about it, but he ex-
pected her claim had been allowed & sent to
her. He (Mr. Howard) send me to you for
information.

These persons are poor & needy & I fear
they have not been treated well & promptly
by their attorneys, for they say they paid a
fee in advance to them.

Genl. you will do a great favour
to these persons, & greatly oblige the writer
of this by your early attention & answer
I am not writing for pay, but to aid them
in hunting up their claims. in the first
case Iroquois Jones' claim is allowed
He wants to know how he can get it.

Very Respectfully,

W. J. Dudley

PS
We have many other Soldiers
in this vicinity who have been badly treated
about their pay &c

Respectfully
W. J. Lindley

H. 1-101-69

Received by
Dec 28. 69

Doran G. J.

Encloses \$2.50 to be paid
to the Educational Board
gives list of Trustees of
Coif School No 1 - & wishes
them to be informed of
the aid the Bureau will
give Ben F Lee Teacher
& wants to be informed
generally of school matters

Received
Jan 15 70
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1864
Lanville Dec 28th

Col B. P. Runnells

Dear Sir

we enclose for the
Educational Board two
dollars and fifty cents
which you will do the kind-
ness for us to present to
the proper authorities and
will also give to the trus-
tees of colored school of
Lanville by B Lee at the
information in relation to
what they will receive from
the bureau or from any
other source please answer
by the 31st the following are
the officers or trustees of school
Davy Langford president No 1
Henry Harrington
over

Brown, Mason
 Wm Yocum
 J J Dorem, Sect. —

The above officers were
 selected at the time
 Capt May was in
 Danville

But we wish to know who has
 the responsibility of the school
 the teacher in charge ^{or} the
 trustees and who is proper to
 report the condition of the
 school &c

J J D Sect —

address J J Dorem
 Danville Ky

Louisville Ky

Dec 31, 1869

Received of Col Ben P Runkle
 W O Ky The sum of Two ⁵⁰/₁₀₀
 Dollars - sent by G. I. Doran
 for School Board at Louisville
 Ky ————— John Morris

Treasurer State Bd of Ed

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Cooksville Ky

Dec 31 1868

Embry Mary

Receipt for check #2543

for \$10. Rent for

October 1868

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1869

Recd A. B. O. Ky Jan 1-1869.

Ky.,

1868.

Received from Bvt. Col. BEN. P. RUNKLE,
U. S. A., Major 45th Inf., Chief Disbursing Officer
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands.
State of Kentucky, Dollars
and Cents, by Check No. ,
on U. S. Depositary, Louisville, Kentucky.

Mary Embry

Witness:

Recd by Dec 21 1868

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky., Dec 10 *1868.*

Mary Campbell

Commissioner of

I have the honor to enclose herewith Check

No. 257 on the U. S. Depositary at Louisville, Ky., for \$ 13.00

in payment of your account for Dec 10

Please acknowledge receipt of the same.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Ben Runkle

*Maj. 45th U. S. Inf., Bet. Col. U. S. Army,
Disbursing Officer, State of Kentucky.*

Chas. M. Eastern

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Richmond Ky
Jan'y 7. 1869

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Ellis Wyatt

Says - free tickets
were issued to two
little girls - he has
in his family - relatives
of his wife -

That the School
Committee notified
him that he was able
to pay their tuition -
Says he is not

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Asst Commr Office Ky
Louisville Jan'y 13. 69

Respectfully referred
to Chap T. K. Noble
Asst Supt Schools
Louisville Ky for
investigation & report

If the children
are entitled to free
tuition and are still
refused admittance
the teachers will be
relieved -

By order of

Bt Col Ben P. Runble

Levi L. Buena

Bt Capt W. A.

Adams

Jan 11, 1869

Recd A. B. O. Ky Jan 9-1869

Richmond Ky
Jan 7th 1869

Col N E. Johnson

Dear Sir

I received
two cards issued by Order of The Freedmens
Bureau, to admit the two little girls,
Nocia & Mary Grantlett, in the School, we
have hear, They were admitted into School
But after they were admitted, I received
a notice from the School Committee
here, that they thought me able to pay
their tuition. The two little girls are
no blood relations of mine at all
They are to my wife however, when
their mother died they were left in a
destitute condition, I took them and
have kept them ever since both clothed

and provided for them in every way that I was able, I also set up and waited upon their Mother and provided for her the best I was able, I am a poor man and work hard by daily labor for the sustenance of my wife & these two little orphan girls, and am still willing to do so, But I do not feel able to both clothe & feed, and send them to school

For all the within facts I can give you proof of them from many of the most worthy Union Citizens of Richmond Hoping to hear from you soon on this subject I will close,

Yours most-Respectfully

Care

Col J W Caperton

Wyatt Ellis
Richmond
Ky

E 11. 101 / Bk 4. 10. 1869

Lawrenceburg Ky
Jan'y 11. 69

Ellison Peter Ekab

Ask \$20 or \$25
dollar per mo
from The Bureau
for the support
of their school

See letter to Peter Ellison Jan
2. 1869

Wm. H. H.

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Recd A. B. C. H. Jan 14/69

Laurelburg Jan 11th 1869

This is to Certify that Miss
Susan Robinson is our Agent to solicit you
for aid if compatible with your Official duties
to enable the undersigned the School Committee
for the first or Laurelburg District to teach
a three months School we had a three month
School in this place last year which absorbed all
our means for that purpose which School was reg-
ularly reported to the Common School Commissioner
Mr L Chambers who promptly paid all the money
coming into his hands for that purpose and will
still give aid and encouragement to the School if
there should means be provided there is near
one hundred Children in this district of suitable
age to go to School all of which is Respectfully Submitted
Bvt Col, Ben p Runkle Peter Ellison
U S Army Samuel Ellison
Disbursing officer John Carter
Louisville Ky James Haden
We ask you to Assist our School with John Coburn
as you can toward our school John Penny
\$20 or \$25 whichever you will note Ben Pleasant
As we are in need we'll soon be riched. George Hagen
Keep the same teacher for the year Alan Smith
is a splendid one and all John Gibson
All of our are pleased with George Bond
her But we are not able to do the more without Assistance
from you and we have never had any before

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Frankfort Ky
Jan 19. 69

Ever Jno L.

Asks if Genl Thomas
is at Louisville. When
will he be there. Where is
he.

see telegram
Jan 20 / 69

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 20 / 69

No. 1.

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Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph Company
Of the United States.

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No. 58 Main Street,

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NEW AND DIRECT LINES TO ALL IMPORTANT POINTS.

GEO. H. THURSTON, Pres't.

EDWARD J. ALLEN, Sec. and Treas.

D. M'CARGO, Gen'l. Supt.

Dated, *Frankfort 19* 186*9*

Received at *740 PM Jan 19* 186*9*

To *Cal R E Johnson*

Fredman's Bureau

Is Genl Thomas
at Louisville when will
he be there where is
he John, G. Eve

137 31 paid

NR 455
C. b vol 1. 1869.

Laurensburg Ky
Jan 24. 69
Feb 3
Ellison Filer
Caled.

Says the name of their
teacher is Susan H.
Robison. Asks if the
Society will aid them
in the purchase of a house
for Church & School.
Says they have paid \$20⁰⁰
and owe still \$780⁰⁰

Recd by Parker
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Wm. L. Filer

Recd A. C. C. of Jan 26 - 1869

Lawrenceburg Ky
J. H. Smith, Esq.
Cincinnati Ky
Dear Sir

Your is received
The name of our teacher is
Susan H. Robinson col^d.

We are a small church in the town of Lawrenceburg
to know if you, if we can get any
assistance for the purchase of the house
for worship & for school.

We have paid
for the said house the amount of \$450.00
It seems very difficult to procure a separate
house, and we wish to furnish paying
for our church which will answer
as a schoolroom also. We are still due \$80.00
Please assist us if you can, yours very
respectfully

Peter Ellison col^d
Secretary of church

NARR 457
E 7 Dec 1869

Washington Jan 21. 69

Echorn D.K.

Says the letter con-
taining his check has
not reached him.

Asks that payment
of same be stopped
until further notice.

Recd A. L. O. of Jan 30-1869.

Washington D.C. Jan'y 21 '69.

Dear Sir :

The letter containing
your check for December has not
yet reached me.

There is a circumstance
which true makes this delay look
suspicious. It would therefore, perhaps,
be well to stop payment of your check
until further notice.

Very respectfully
T. H. Echorn

Rev. B. P. Amble

Louisville, Ky.

Sub No 2587 Date Dec 21/68 Pg 12

E. S. Oct 1. 1869

Washington Feb 11. 69

Echorn R. H. Esq

Days to send his check
to Washington D.C.

Feb 11. 69

check sent to him by mail
at Washington D. C. Feb 14/69

Recd. A. C. O. Ky Feb 14/69

Colt Amst.
Please send
it on to Mr. Hearn.
Mark 3
Feb. 11/69

Capt Burnett -

Please send
it on to this place.

Washⁿ }
Feb. 11 '69 } T. H. Echorn

Recd A. B. O. K. 8th 17/69

check new to the 8th
at Washington D. C. 8th 14/69

8th 17/69

Days to send his check
to Washington D. C.

Echorn A. B. O. K.

Washington Feb 11/69

Q. S. 1st 1. 1869

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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., Feb 7 1869.

Mr. Pehon,

Your check for Dec pay \$99¹²
has been returned to this Office,
"What shall we do with it"

Levi L. Burnett
Ors Cap Uth

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"E" of Vol 1. 1869.

Washington D.C.
Feb 19 69

Echorn & H

Acknowledges receipt
of his discharge as
Agent D. A. F. & S.

Recd A. L. O. H. Feb 22 1869

Washington, D.C. Feb. 19th 69.

Adj. Col. Ben F. Dunkle,

Adj. Com^d

Louisville, Ky.

Col -

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of my discharge as an Agent
Bureau R. F. & A. L. in the State of Kentucky.

Very respectfully,

✓
Your obedient servant,

V. H. Echorn -

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Eldorado Ky
July 20. 1869

Evans Lila,

Asks for school
blank & requests
that she be paid

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Recd. Aug. 10. Ky. Feb 23. 1870

San R. F. H. L.

Office Asst. Commr. Ky.

Louisville Ky. Mich. 24. 1869.

Respectfully returned to
Bot. Capt. Levi F. Burnett, Adjt. G.
whose attention is invited
to endorsement of this

date on communication of
Rev. E. M. Cravath of Mich. S.

William Hough

1st Lieut 45th Inf.

Asst. Supt. of Schools

Recd. Aug. 24. O. F. Mich. 24/69

Elasado Sebast

The first of month

January 1st

I made
 out my report and sent it to you the
 month commencing 1st 1871 and ending
 January 1st and the second month
 ends tomorrow and have no order
 from you to draw my money and
 I stand in need of it please send
 me a blank to make out my second
 report and the order to draw my
 money there upon. I could not
 answer and I regretted that
 answer and I had to let ^{you} know I forgot
 to put down my average attendance
 it is fifteen
 Yours respectfully
 Hila Evans, Elasado Sebast.

E. B. Jones, 1869

From Ky

Feb 27. 1869

Embree M. H.

Says Mr Mullen who
gave up the carpenters
contract of their new build-
ing is being pressed for
funds and requests the
\$1,500 which is to be
given him for releasing
the contract.

File

Recd A. L. O. Ky March 2. - 1869

P. P. Finkle D. Cal
 Dear Sir

Mr Mullins the man
 who gave up the Carpenter contract
 of our new Building is being pressed
 for funds and requested me to write
 you concerning the \$1500 which is
 to be given him for releasing the con-
 tract - I have offered to advance some
 but want to know something about when
 the fund will arrive - Please answer
 at your earliest convenience - Let us
 know about the contract - who has
 it and when will the building be on
 Suppose you arrived home safely
 How about the Purps and guns - I
 presumed they come safely to hand
 Remember me to Cal Drums - Come
 see us when you can

Respy Yours
 W. W. Embee

E. 13 Oct 1869

Lawrenceburg Ky
Mechs. 1869

Ellis S. Peter

Says Miss Susan
Robinson will teach
there for five months

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Recd A. B. O. 1/2 Nov 2/69

NHRH 469
March 1st 69

Lawrenceburg Anderson County Ky

Mr Levi Burnet

Sir as you Requested me to inform you about
our next Teacher Mrs Susan Robinson is going home on
A visit to be away 2 weeks she will then Return & teach
five months commencing on the 15th March, we held a
meeting on yesterday we had some to object to her
teaching any longer But the majority was in favour
of her continuing to teach

Respectfully Yours

Peter Ellison

E 15 Oct. 1869

Paducah Ky
March 19. 1869

Egleston R. S.
D L R 23. Indfly

Says he is not able
to say what the
prospects are for
establishing a school
at Morgansfield Ky

Thinks it would
be difficult to rent
a building - &c

Recd R. S. O. by mail 23. 1869

MAR 4 1869
Paducah Ky, March 19, 1869

Bvt. Capt. A Benson Brown
Louisville Ky,

Sir

Yours of Feb 18, is received
I am not able to inform you what the prospects are for
a Freedmens School at Morganfield Ky. The Freedmen com-
menced a School House last fall but suspended work on it
when the Klu Klux commenced raiding through the country
I think it would be difficult to rent a suitable building.

The Freedmen intend to finish thier School House this Spring

Very Respectfully Your Obedt. Servant

R. S. Egelston
2^d Lt. 25th Inf,

© 16. Jul 1. 1869

Richmond Ky

July, 14th 1869,

Embry, Mary

Acks. recpt of \$10.00
rent for May. 1869.

Says rent is due her
for the months of March,
April, May and June. 1869
at rate of \$18.00 per mo,
promised by Mr. Hale.

Inquires after Bouiey
and back pay due her as
widow of Mr. M. Embry

File



Richmond Kentucky
July 14 1869

Genl P. F. Finkle
Brig Col U.S.A.

Dear Sir

Your communication
dated July 8th 1869 enclosing check for ten
dollars (\$10⁰⁰) Rem for May is now before
me for which you have my thanks.
There is however due me Rem for the
months of March, April, May and
June, at the rate of eighteen dollars
per month. And you only send me
ten dollars on the month of May.
Will you please explain this matter.
When I began to teach the school
last year Mr. Dale promised me
fifteen dollars (\$15⁰⁰) per month. And
this year I was full sure that I could
not teach any longer at that rate
and he promised and assured me
that I would teach I should
be paid eighteen dollars (\$18⁰⁰) I have
taught four months and received
no other compensation than the in-
solence received by your check above.
The parents of the school have not
been able to pay my board. And I have
been compelled to pay even that.

About the 26th of last month I wrote
you in regard to the Bounty + Back Pay
due me as the widow of W. W. Embury Co
B. 114 U.S.C. I which I had been
informed was in your hands for

payment: I have not received any
answer to that letter.

If you really have the money please
inform me what is necessary for me to
do to collect it: I am in need of
the money so I have not succeeded
in collecting the Rent - Money due me
I would like to have my money sent
by Post office draft. whenever you forward
it to me.

Let me hear from you at your
earliest convenience

+ oblige
Wm. Country

E 24-24-1-1869

Louisville Kentucky

August 7. 1869

¹⁰
Educational Convention
for Colored people.

July 14, 15 & 16. 1869.

Names of parties, and
amount subscribed by
each to defray expenses,

<u>James Speed</u>	\$ 20 00
<u>J. B. Fairlight</u>	5 00
<u>J. R. Lee</u>	5 00
<u>J. F. Beckwith</u>	5 00
<u>B. H. Bristow</u>	5 00
<u>A. H. Ward</u>	5 00
<u>B. H. Bristow</u>	5 00
<u>Eli. H. Murray</u>	5 00
<u>H. R. Baskin</u>	10 00
<u>B. F. Avery</u>	20 00
<u>J. F. Speed</u>	10 00

File

<p>Dear Sir,</p> <p>I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. in relation to the above matter.</p> <p>I am sorry to hear that you are having trouble with your car. I will try to help you in any way I can.</p> <p>Very truly yours,</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i></p>	<p>Enclosed for you are two copies of the report of the committee on the subject of the proposed new law.</p> <p>I am sure that you will find this information helpful.</p> <p>Sincerely,</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i></p>
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We, the undersigned, hereby agree to pay the sums set opposite our names, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of an Educational Convention of the Colored People, to be held in the City of Louisville, July 14th, 1869, at which time addresses are to be delivered by Frederick Douglass, John M. Langston, Esq., and other distinguished orators.

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.	AMOUNT.
James Speed	Louisville.	\$20 00
Mr. B. Danbigh	paid	5 00.
J. F. Lusk	<i>[Signature]</i>	5 00.
J. T. Buckner	Louisville	5 00.
D. H. Bristow	<i>[Signature]</i>	5 00.
J. H. Ward	<i>[Signature]</i> paid	5 00
Burt H. Speed		5 00
Eli H. Murney		5 00

Briggs & Co.

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Q^d 21- Vol- 1- 1869

Crawsville Indiana

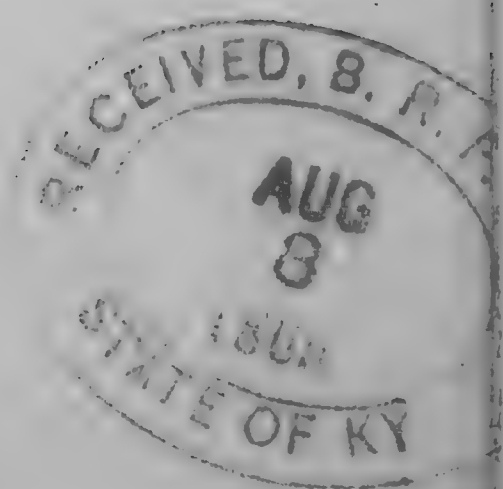
August 7. 1869

Elliot, John D

Box 485,

Applicant for a Titration
in B.R. F. and S. Sands

Yell



J. P. ELLIOTT.

ED. P. ELLIOTT

OFFICE OF
J. P. ELLIOTT & SON,
DEALERS IN
Produce & Provisions, and Pork Packers,
Agents Miami and Dupont Powder Companies.

Evansville, Ind. August 7th 1864.

Genl Ben P. Runkle

Louisville

My Dear Sir

I suppose you will be surprised on hearing from me but I want to find out something about Capt Lawell when he was here he said that you had promised him to get me a situation in your department in Louisville. He kept putting me off by saying that you would be down at Evansville in a few days as he had need of letters from you to that effect. He left here very sudden and I have not heard from him since. I am the gentleman that did that writing for him the day you were here. I feel if you I can do any thing for me it would be greatly appreciated by me

Yours truly
J. P. Elliott
Ev 485

Sept 26. 1869
Lebanon Ky Sept. 5. 1869

Edmondson. G. W.

Makes inquiry after pay
for services rendered
\$155.00 =

at about 9.15 P.M.
Monday

Wrote to Washington

See A. 896.69

Lebanon ^{Ky} Sept 8th 1869

Gen. B. P. Thumler

Sir

I write you a few lines
this morning to know
what prospect there is for
me to get the money on
the plastering of the
Riverview College. I have
been kept out of my
money a great deal longer
than I expected and hope
you will forward it on to
me immediately as I am very
much pressed for money the amount
you have \$155.00 Very
respectfully G. W. Edmondson

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Covington Ky
Nov 16 1869

Received The Dis-
Charge mentioned
within -

His
Green X Edwards
mark

Witness
J. H. Reed
G. Wallace

File

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Office Sup't Ed. and D. O., State of Kentucky,

Corner Third and Walnut Streets, (Up Stairs.)

Louisville, Ky., Nov 13th 1869.

Messrs Burke and Reed
Covington Ky,
Gentlemen;

I have the honor to enclose
herewith The Discharge of Green
Edwards late Private Co. "A" 509th
U.S. Troops.

Please have him sign
the receipt on the back of this
letter and return the same to me
I am Gentlemen;

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt

H. P. Davis

TEACHER'S MONTHLY

SCHOOL REPORT

For the month of *December 25*, 1868.

District or County, *Clark County*

State, *of Kentucky*

Name of School, *Winchester*

Name of Teacher, *Mary Fry*

EXPLANATIONS.

If any of the within questions cannot be answered by the teacher, they may be left for the Superintendent. Place each answer, to the extent of your knowledge, opposite the question, and he will fill the remaining spaces.

Night and Sabbath schools taught by a group of teachers should be reported but once.

In the "Remarks" notice any important fact which the blank does not call for.

It is hoped that the Educational Societies will adopt this form of Report; if so, the Bureau can furnish the blanks.

Should more extended forms be used, it would oblige the Commissioner to have them include all the items of this.

BUREAU R., F., & A.L., Washington, D.C., Jan. 1, 1868.

Forwarded

Received

A. B. O. H. Jan 8-1869

W. D. Mott, 19th May.

[Ed. Form, No. 3.]

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A. O. O. 3 Jan 1869

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TEACHER'S MONTHLY SCHOOL REPORT

For the Month of *December 25*, 1868.

~~1~~ To contain one entire calendar month, and to be forwarded as soon as possible after the close of the month.

~~2~~ A School under the distinct control of one Teacher, or a Teacher with one Assistant, is to be reported as one School.

Name of your School?.....	<i>Winchester Ry</i> [Answers placed here.]		
Is it a Day or Night-School?.....	Location (town, county, or district)?	<i>day</i>	
When did your present session commence?.....	Of what grade?	<i>four</i>	
Is your School supported by an Educational Society?.....	When to close?	<i>July the 1 1869</i>	
Is your School supported wholly by local School Board?.....	What Society?	<i>no</i>	
Is your School supported in part by local School Board?.....	Name of Board or Com.?	<i>no</i>	Am't pd. this month?
Is your School supported wholly by Freedmen?.....	Name of Board or Com.?	<i>no</i>	Am't pd. this month?
Is your School supported in part by Freedmen?.....	Amount paid this month?	<i>12 \$</i>	
Have you had Bureau transportation this term?.....	Amount paid this month?	<i>12 \$</i>	
Who owns the School-building?.....	How much per month?	<i>15 \$ doll</i>	
Is rent paid by Freedmen's Bureau?.....	White? <i>no</i>	Colored? <i>1</i>	
What number of Teachers and Assistants in your School?..	Male? <i>12</i>	Female? <i>24</i>	
Total enrolment for the month?†	<i>36</i>		
Number enrolled last report?	<i>30</i>		
Number left school this month?	<i>no</i>		
Number new Scholars this month?	<i>6</i>		
What is the average attendance?	<i>28</i>		
Number of Pupils for whom tuition is paid?	<i>no</i>		
Number of White Pupils?	<i>no</i>		
Number always present?	<i>26</i>		
Number always punctual?	<i>26</i>		
Number over 16 years of age?	<i>3</i>		
Number in Alphabet?	<i>8</i>		
Number who spell, and read easy lessons?	<i>18</i>		
Number in advanced readers?	<i>no</i>		
Number in Geography?	<i>2</i>		
Number in Arithmetic?	<i>8</i>		
Number in higher branches?	<i>no</i>		
Number in Writing?	<i>12</i>		
Number in Needle-work?	<i>no</i>		
Number free before the war?	<i>no</i>		
Have you a Sabbath-School?	How many Teachers?	<i>6</i>	How many Pupils? <i>75</i>
Have you an Industrial School?	How many Teachers?		How many Pupils?
State the kind of work done?	<i>no</i>		

~~3~~ To the following questions give exact or approximate answers, prefixing to the latter the word "about."

- Do you know of any Schools for Refugees or Freedmen not reported to the State Superintendent? *no* How many? *no*
- Give (estimated) whole number of pupils in all such Schools? No. of Teachers, White, Colored,
- Do you know of Sabbath Schools not reported to the State Superintendent? *no* How many? *no*
- Give (estimated) whole number of pupils in all such Schools? No. of Teachers, White, Colored,
- State the public sentiment towards Colored Schools,
- How many pupils in your School are members of a Temperance Society? *no* Name of the Society?

Remarks.

(Signed)

Mary Fry

Teacher.

* Or School Committee, either District, Town, City, County, or State?

† A pupil is not to be reported as enrolled until after five days' attendance.

Livingston Jan'y 6. 69

Fry Mary.

1 Says she has closed
her School at Winchester.
Wants her check
for Dec sent,

Recd A. L. O. K. Jan 2/19

Lexington Ky Jan 6 1868
 Sir I have Close my school
 at Winchester because the people
 would not support it I had no
 help only rent from Barrar
 I only have check for 12 \$dol
 for the month of november and
 mail report for the month of
 december and sent it to ~~the~~
~~the~~ ~~the~~ ~~the~~ to you self
 My Superintendent and it was sent
 Back to be sent to you self
 and in the mean time I have
 move to Lexington hoping
 you will send me the check
 here at Lexington for the
 month of December and it
 Bldge yours Mary Fry

This is no chool at
winchester now.

NA 498
Bureau R. G. & A. L. L.
Asst Comins Office Ky
Louisville Jan 13. 69

Respectfully referred
to Chap J. K. Noble
Asst Supt Schools
Louisville Ky who
will inspect & report
upon the condition of
the colored people
of Winchester Ky
& the reason why
their school was
closed —

By order of
Bt Col Ben P. Runkle
Loui S. Dismeth
Bt Capt W. A.
a a agent

End of file

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Sherburne Ky
Nov 23. 68

Fauk Sprng -

Writes Col True
in relation to
the erection of a
school building
for freedmen.
Thinks \$300 can
be raised in the
place -
Asks aid of
the Bureau -

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 11-1869

Bureau R. R. M. Smith St. Ky.
Miss Com. Office St. of Ky
Lexington Ky. June 21st 1869.

Respectfully referred to Chap.
lain E. R. Noble for investigation,
report and recommendation.

By order of Br. Col Ben P. Powell

Levi L. Bruners
Br. Capt. U.S.A.
New York

1869

Shuburn 13th Nov 23rd 1868

Col Lane

Dr Sir

The Col people of this place and vicinity have deposited in my hands about forty dollars and have desired me to assist them in erecting a school house and Church which I have consented to do. They inform me that you have promised them to furnish them money in proportion to what they might raise themselves. They now seem disposed to act. The person to whom you have been talking requests that I shall write to you. As we wish to know definitely what size house to build, I think a house 20x36 would be sufficiently large and I should think a house could be built for about (600^{off}) six hundred dollars. I am surprised with the belief that I can raise 300^{off} three hundred dollars. I have some pride about this matter I would like for them to have a nice house, I have proposed to give them forty dollars myself, and by getting

all parties to assist I think there
 can be no danger of having it destroyed
 Hoping to hear from you soon and
 that you will assist them to the extent
 of your ability

I remain

Yours &c

My Friend

I must say of your Newcastle merchants
 will give you some idea of
 my character and responsibility
 Mr Lunn wishes me to say to you
 that he has not yet found out when
 Martin & Joseph Hardin are so soon
 as he does he will write

Myself

27 Oct 1869

27 Oct 1869

Frankfort Jan 18. 69

Lord G.

Acknowledges receipt of
Col Purcell's letter and returns
Thanks for information on
Transportation. The bat-
rel has arrived for which
he had to pay \$2.25

Enclose four bills bearing the
charges on the freight speci-
fied and for which trans-
portation was obtained

(4 Enclos)

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 19/69

Frankfort, Ky.
 May 18th. 1869

Louisville.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your kind letter & to return many thanks for the information on transportation of freight.

The barrel has arrived, for which I had to pay \$2.25. The contents are Sunday School papers - not clothing as I had understood.

I herewith send four (4) bills bearing the charges on the freight specified, and for which transportation was obtained. I shall feel very grateful for your interference in this matter to enable me to recover this unnecessary expense.

I am, Sir
 Very truly yours,
 G. Ford.

Encl A. 7. 1869

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Form 10.

B. B. Smith

By J. M. 25 1868

To LOUISVILLE, CINCINNATI & LEXINGTON R. R'ds,

From <i>Sum</i>	For Transportation for the following Articles of Freight, viz:	WEIGHT.	RATE.	FREIGHT.
Consignor, <i>J. L. G. H. & Co.</i>	<i>3 Pkgs Mds</i>			<i>110</i>
Marks, <i>J. L. G. H. & Co.</i>				
Way-bill <i>P</i>				
Car No.				
Date <i>186</i>	Received Payment for the Company. <i>J. M. 25</i> Charges Advanced.			
All Bills payable in Bankable Funds.	<i>J. M. 25</i> LOCAL AGENT.			

You are hereby notified that the above articles of Freight have arrived at this station, consigned to you, and are now ready to be delivered on the payment of the above Freight and Charges. If not removed within twenty-four hours, they will be liable to a charge for storage, or be sent to storage at the expense of Consignee. No damages will be allowed after the goods leave this station, unless by consent. No packages carried for less than twenty-five cents.

Please present this bill when calling for the above goods.

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Form 10.

Frankfort Ky. Oct. 23^d 1868

Mrs Mary E. Miller

To LOUISVILLE, CINCINNATI & LEXINGTON R. R'ds,

From <u>Lexington</u>	For Transportation for the following Articles of Freight, viz:	WEIGHT.	RATE.	FREIGHT.
Consignor,	<u>3 Boxes Books &c</u>			
Marks,	<u>2 Bbls. Dr</u>	<u>735</u>		<u>1 25</u>
Way-bill <u>P</u>				
Car No.				
Date <u>186</u>	Received Payment for the Company. Charges Advanced.			
All Bills payable in Bankable Funds.	<u>J. H. Graham</u> LOCAL AGENT.			

You are hereby notified that the above articles of Freight have arrived at this station, assigned to you, and are now ready to be delivered on the payment of the above Freight and Charges. If not removed within twenty-four hours, they will be liable to a charge for storage, or be sent to storage at the expense of Consignee. No damages will be allowed after the goods leave this station, unless by consent. No packages carried for less than twenty-five cents.

Please present this bill when calling for the above goods.

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Form 10.

Louisville, Ky., Oct 20 1868

J. S. Gentry

To LOUISVILLE, CINCINNATI & LEXINGTON R. R'ds,

From <i>Leung</i>	For Transportation for the following Articles of Freight, viz:	WEIGHT.	RATE.	FREIGHT.
Consignor,	<i>1 Box Rubbers</i>			<i>35</i>
Marks,				
Way-Bill <i>P</i>				
Car No.				
Date 186	Received Payment for the Company.			<i>60</i>
All Bills payable in Bankable Funds.	<i>J. S. Gentry</i> LOCAL AGENT			<i>95</i>

You are hereby notified that the above articles of Freight have arrived at this station, consigned to you, and are now ready to be delivered on the payment of the above Freight and Charges. If not removed within twenty-four hours, they will be liable to a charge for storage, or be sent to storage at the expense of Consignee. No damages will be allowed after the goods leave this station, unless by consent. No packages carried for less than twenty-five cents.

Please present this bill when calling for the above goods.

and the 1st of Aug.

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FORM 10

By, Dec 29 1886

M. E. Miles

To LOUISVILLE, CINCINNATI & LEXINGTON R. R'ds.

From <i>Xou</i>	For Transportation for the following Articles of Freight, viz:	WEIGHT.	RATE.	FREIGHT.
Consignor	<i>1 Bbl Mds</i>			<i>30</i>
Marks				
Way-Bill <i>P</i>				
Car No.				
Date <i>1886</i>	Received Payment for the Company.			<i>195</i>
All Bills payable in Bankable Funds.	<i>[Signature]</i> LOCAL AGENT.			<i>225</i>

You are hereby notified that the above articles of Freight have arrived at this station, consigned to you, and are now ready to be delivered on the payment of the above Freight and Charges. If not removed within twenty-four hours, they will be liable to a charge for storage, or be sent to storage at the expense of Consignee. No damages will be allowed after the goods leave this station, unless by consent. No packages carried for less than twenty-five cents.

Please present this bill when calling for the above goods.

J 12 Vol 1. 1869

Charport N.Y.
June 25. 1869

Fisher Maria Lou.
Widow.

Forwards application for
arrest of pay and bounty
due on acc of the services
of her deceased husband
Perry Fisher Late 1st Co
118th Regt.

Recd U.S.O. No. J. 64. 1869

Br. J. F. A. Sands
Fairfield N.Y. Feb 10. 1869

Respectfully returned to Maria
Fisher Charport N.Y. who
will have the pencil writing
on the enclosed application fil-
led up in int by the same
person who made this applica-
tion. Proof of marriage is
also required. If there is
record of your marriage
it must be forwarded if
not, the affidavit of two
witnesses, showing that you
lived together as husband &
wife, and were so recognized
by your associates is re-
quired.

Please return this paper
with required evidence.

By order of

Det Col Ben P. Parker

Levi F. Burnett

Det Capt A. G. S.

Recd Jan 1. 1869

Bureau R. F. & A. Sands
Asst. Commr. Office
Louisville Feb 23. 69

Respectfully forwarded
to Bk Brig Gen G. W.
Balloch, Chief A. C.
Washington D. C.

Wm R. R. R.

Bk Colonel Ufa
D. O. Kentucky

Recd back A. C. R. R. March 11-1877



A. H. Ray

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Oct 15

U. S. A. C.
ENT.
MAR
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1879
CHIEF D. C.

D 13 vol 1 1869

Lanville Ky
Feb 12. 69

Fry Speed S-

Returns Bounty
Receipts of Betsey
Caldwell - signed -

mong and to her by express

see letter to her Feb 15 1869

Recd A. L. O. Ky Feb 13-1869

Danville Ky
Feb 12 1869

Sir

I have the honor to enclose herewith the papers for the application of Henry Caldwell for "Sum of Pay Bounty &c", properly signed.

He has been absent for some weeks on a visit to his father who is sick which has caused the delay in returning.

Glas is also absent on a visit but have written for him.

Yours very Respectly
Shen S. Fay

Aug 1st 1869

Stanford Me. 3. 69

Fielding Mary

Says the K. K. K's
are quite numerous
around Crab Orchard
and threaten her &
she has to leave there

File

Recd A. A. O. K. March 6 1869

Stanford Ky Mar 24 5-69

Col Ben P. Rye

I am writing you a few
lines to let you know
that the things are so
bad at the school that I
am afraid to stay there they
have threatened whip all the
colored people there and says
that they hang some and
under such threats I do not
feel safe and know protec-
tion I left there on wednesday
day but the school is still
going I would like to hear
from you before I go back
when you write direct to me

will be yours with due

Respect

Mary Alden

Feb 20. Feb 1. 1869

Leavenworth.
 Mch 8. 1869
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Wm. J. McEwen

Says there is a school at
 New Haven Ky. and recom-
 mends \$50 per week.

Reply by R. W. McEwen.

Recd A. G. C. Ky. Mch 8. 1869

Libanon Ky
Mch 8 69

Mr Runkle,

Sir:-

There is a colored School at New
Sharon which deserves your attention.
The priest at that place has built
a school house and is teaching the
col. children as well as the com-
- - I earnestly ask that you for the
school. material assistance by allowing
a teacher. \$20.00 per month by sending
a colored teacher there & - The priest
Father De Mulder deserves great praise
for his frankness in starting a
colored school in such a place &

Very truly

Wm H Ficker

Nov 1869

Lexington Ky
Mch 12. 69

See John G.

Says a letter has
this day been sent
to Cal Quakee and
to answer it by
return mail.

Recd A. L. O. K. March 12-1869
11⁴⁰ A.M.

No. 1.

REDUCED RATES.

PLEASE REPLY BY THIS LINE.

SOUTHERN
Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph Company
Of the United States.

LOUISVILLE OFFICES,

No. 58 Main Street,

Galt House and Louisville Hotel.

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GEO. H. THURSTON, Pres't.

EDWARD J. ALLEN, Sec. and Treas.

D. M'CARGO, Gen'l. Sup't.

Dated,

Received at

To

Lexington March 12 1869
 11/20 1869
 Genl. B. Runkle

A letter has this day
 been sent to you
 please answer by
 return train to

Lexington -

John L. Fee

16-37 pd

[Signature]

Feb 25. 1869

Burksville Ky
March 22. 69

Freeman J. M.
Teacher

Says the last check
he received was sent
to Louisville on
last Tuesday week
that the mail was
that day robbed &
the check stolen

Asks that pay-
ment be stopped

Ogmen stopped March 20/69

Recd A. L. O. Ky March 25-1869

Burkville Ky.
22nd March 1869

Dear Sir

The last cheque I received from
Col Runkle was sent to Louisville on
last Tuesday week to be cashed, but
the Mail that day was robbed and
the cheque stolen,

You will therefore do me
a great favor by seeing Col^l Runkle and
having the payment of the cheque stopped
please give this your earliest
attention and advise me of the result with-
out delay.

Yours Sincerely
Wm Freeman

Doctor Hunter

Cheque No 338. dated March 19th
\$65⁰⁰

check No 2570. of 25-

dated Aug 14

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Lebanon Ky
June 8. 69

Fidler James M

Encloses Contract
with Geo Edmonson
for planing the
freedmens School
house at Lebanon
for \$155—

(2 Enclosures)
File



1888
Lynch Ky
June 8 69

Wm P. P. P. P.
U. D. D. Ky.

Let:

I have done contract with Edmondson
for plastering & - the black house, I am
certain, ought to be in plastering; then
I have made contract for them for 5 ft
more than originally intended.

Yours

James H. P. P.

P. 35-M-1-1869

Banco Callego.

Banco L. Aug. 17, 1869

For John G.

Refers to George (Cape) (Cape)
having applied to him for a
rebut in the same. Recently -
says he appears honest
and sincere in his
recognition of his own; that he
can read well and write
a legible hand and used in
his opinion are both
as well as most colored
workers of the South -

File



WARR 520

Berea College,

Berea, Ky. Aug 17 1869

Geo B Runkle
Louisville Ky

Dear Friend

George Cope (Colored) of Knox Co
has been to see me in reference
to schools in Knox Co

I have seen him once before
but short time

He is a cripple - not in war -
has a good countenance
reads tolerably well - writes
a legible hand - and I should
think he could teach a
school of children as well
as the best Colored teachers
raised in the South do

He is a professing Christian
and seems very desirous to

except his race

His own necessity may
have an influence he does

not see

Our new building will be
completed in about 8 or 10 days

You will be apprised

It is very handsome - is making
a fine impression on the natives
Colored people are not half so
black as they used to be -

and abolitionists are a great deal
better folks - The building will
pay -

Plastering not quite as good as
we expected. Woodwork is fair
painting I think is good

We shall expect to see you
soon

Yours John Q. Lee

F. 42. 2nd. reg. 109
Louisville Ky Sep. 25th 64

Fox. Samuel
1st Co. 4. 100. 54
 Recd for his dis-
 charge certificate.

Heck



1869 523
Louisville Ky

Sept 23, 1869

Received of Col T. D. S. Runkle
D. O. Ky my Discharge Certificate

Samuel Fort
Late Co "H" 100 CA

F 47.2M-1-69

Berea College Berea Ky
Oct 22 1869

Fanchild E. H.
Presdt.

Requests an additional appropriation
for Harvard Hall.

Incloses. Letter
from. Genl Harvard

A letter to E. H.
Fanchild W. N.
Nov 3 1869

Dear College

Oct 29 1887

Dear Sir,

Dear Sir,

Your enclosed letter is an answer to one of our own, written at the request of our Board of Trustees. It is a letter, not requesting another appropriation for this College, but suggesting that, under the circumstances, the Board may find it expedient to appropriate a sufficient sum to make the new hall a complete gift, as was designed by the last appropriation.

I judge by the tenor of this letter that any explanation from your board

Dear Mr. [Name] [Address]

The circumstances of
the case I presume you
know well, - The building
cost nearly \$2000 more
than we expected; and before
we could occupy it, the
owner of the house personally
obligated for the payment
of his account, is a lot
the more, which is to be paid
soon after the 1st of December.

We do not request you to
make any application for
us, for we feel that you
must be dead very soon,
by us. But if after due
consideration it seems to you
best to make another applica-
tion for us, we shall feel
bound to oblige you, and
shall be greatly obliged.

The Commission will
be very anxious to see that we
have no more of these
specimens as they are
very valuable.

1. The Commission will
be very anxious to see that we
have no more of these
specimens as they are
very valuable.

2. It will be very
desirable to have
some specimens of the
same kind as the
ones which are now
in the collection.

3. It will be very
desirable to have
some specimens of the
same kind as the
ones which are now
in the collection.
The Commission will
be very anxious to see that we
have no more of these
specimens as they are
very valuable.

4. I am well, & am very
in the school - expecting
Feb. 1st - a conference
with the committee before
the district, and while
there we can get to go,

Then we can see to it
to have the matter with
your blessing, & I should
think that you would
be glad to go, even for us.

With respect to Rogers
and the other matter, I will
inform the friends about
this matter, but it was
suggested to the Committee
that we should not
think it wise.

Please let us hear
from you soon as it
will be necessary to take
some definite steps to do

Dear Mr. Manning, I am
 glad to hear from you, if
 you get no more business
 don't let your pen
 become rusty.

Respectfully,


E. H. Edwards
 Pres. B. C.

748-201-169
Lebanon, Nw 3 '69

Fidler, James.

Requests that the
bond money of
Washington Brown
cert. - \$529.04 - \$100⁰⁰
be procured for him

In letter to
Capt Fidler
Nov 4 '69



Attest
Oct 3 '69

Will you please
send for this man's
money?

Fidler

[L.]

War Department,
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,
CLAIM DIVISION,

Washington, Sept 21st, 1869.

T. C. Wood Attorney
Lebanon Ky.

The Treasury certificates mentioned below, issued in settlement of claims for bounty, &c., having been received at this Bureau, direct from the Auditor's Office, with letters of transmittal addressed to you as Attorney of record in such claims, you will please forward, without delay, your bills against ~~each~~ ^{the} claimant, in duplicate and receipted, made out on printed forms similar to the enclosed blanks, on receipt of which your fees and the amount due the claimants will be remitted.

Please direct to "Claim Division, Bureau R., F., & A. L."

By order of Brig. Maj. - Gen. O. O. Howard, Commissioner:

William R. Drew
Chief of Claim Division.

No. 522,047, in favor of Washington Brown Amount 100

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Y. H. G. Oct 1, 1869
Lebanon Oct 27. 69

Fiddler Jas M -

Says nothing is
due Nesbit - Thinks
an officer had better
^{be} sent there & settle
the business - asking
speedy payment
of Edmonson & Smith
See S. O. # 52 -

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Dec 3. 69

Lebanon Ky.
Oct 27 69

Puffy returned: -

Mr. Nesbit now has
a contract for anything &
He was S. R. McGinnis's
Security on bond for con-
spiring with School house.
I have explained the whole
matter to Capt Ray who

was here last night & I
told him and showed him
the differences claimed &

You had better send out
an officer or come your-
self and settle the whole
matter &

By the way, I wish
you would hurry up
Edmonson & Smith's
bills. They owe me to
death &

I return inclosure
by Capt Ray &

Yours

Fiddler



Feb 20/69

Berea Ky
Nov 6-69

Fairchild Rev E. H.

Gives cost of tuition at Berea College - Asks Col Runkle to visit Berea before 22nd inst -

Enclosing letter from Lizzie Henson in reference to back pay & making application for a School in Ky

File

Recd Nov 8/69

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Berlin Oct. 25 1849

Pres. E. H. Churchill

please, to excuse me for-
taken this liberty of writing to you
last Fall, 1848, Per T. J. Noble
was, here in Berlin getting Teachers-
to go to Richmond Madison County
Va., to teach the freed men, as you
know, and I was willing to go and
did go, I received transportation,
papers, and also, a letter from the
Western Freedman & aid. Commis-
sion, tract, Building No. 174. Elm
St, Cincinnati, for the Rev. Mr.
Campbell, Richmond, for him to
locate me in my school, my
first term, commenced Monday-
January 4, 1849 I taught until
the last of June when I received a
circular, from the Bureau, saying
all teachers, who was conducting

Schools under the Bureau -
superior, of the Bureau, not to
leave their schools without
permission, from the assistant,
superintendent of the schools. -
upon written application, I did -
so but I did not receive answer -
to my letter, I then taught, un-
til, finally, in a month longer -
I was very anxious to go home, to
get rest, in order, that I might,
return, again, to the New Liberty -
school or go to another school,
I stopped at, Louisville, to -
see Col Ben. P. Brunkle, he was -
in, town and I did not see -
him, the gentlemen who was in -
the office, told me that I
would get my pay in -
two weeks and I have not as -
yet received one cent from the -
Bureau, for all my labor,
all the Winter and, Spring, and one -

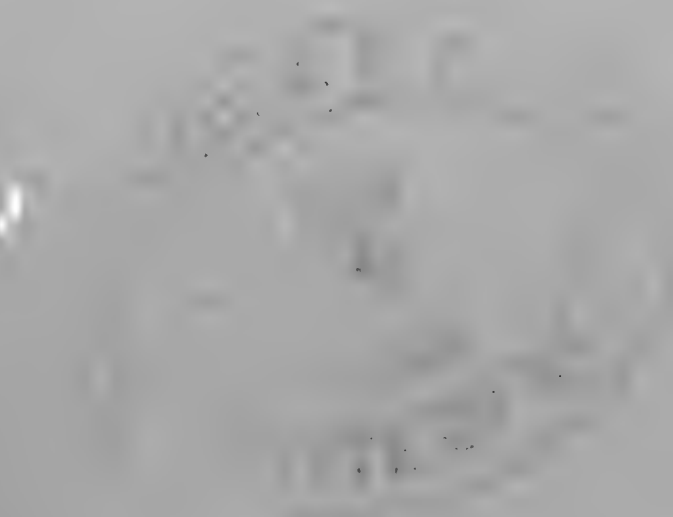
Summer month, I wish -
to go and teach the freedmen -
I was very much interested in -
the condition, of my scholars. I
do not think I ever before have -
had so much pleasure, in all -
my past, days I was busy -
and happy all the time
Pres. E. Fairchild
Will you please write, to -
Col. Ben. P. Brunkle
and, ask him about, my -
pay, if you please, or the -
Rev. J. G. Fee,
I would like to have a school
if you, or, Mr. J. G. Fee,
could get me a school
in Ky, where I could have my -
pay every month, will you -
write and let me know, if I -
can get one, for I am, very -
anxious to have a school.

PLEASE ANSWER THIS LETTER -
SOON AND DIRECT TO -
THE GARDEN HALL
SPRING SPENSON
OBERLIN, OHIO

Feb 1/69

21 lbs of flour 1.25
 1/2 lb of sugar 1.00
 1/2 lb of butter 1.00
 1/2 lb of lard 1.00
 1/2 lb of oil 1.00
 1/2 lb of meat 1.00
 1/2 lb of fish 1.00
 1/2 lb of fruit 1.00
 1/2 lb of vegetables 1.00

E. H. ...



Berea College,

Berea, Ky. *March* 186*7*

Dear Brother,

I have just received

your letter of the 27th inst.

and am glad to hear

that you are well and

hope to see you soon.

I am very much

interested in the

work you are doing

and hope to see you

soon. I am very much

interested in the

work you are doing

and hope to see you

soon. I am very much

interested in the

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Wendell
Mass Sept 1869

Stark Albert
Weymouth

For a small quantity
of the best quality
of any half price was
- 100 lb of conformity
with the best quality of 2 lb lb

File

100
100
100

Office of General Superintendent,

Louisville & Nashville and Memphis & Louisville Railroad Line.

Louisville, Ky., 27 Nov 1869

Gen. C. Rankle

Supt. Ed. & D. O. Ky.

Dr. Sir -

In reply to
yrs of 26th inst. in regard to Half
Term Certificates issued teachers,
would say that I wrote Mr. Cravath
on the 26th Oct. telling him that the
arrangement was only intended ^{and}
understood on my part to apply
only to recess of schools ^{and} a reason-
able time thereafter ^{and} not designed
to extend to an indefinite period,
^{and} at the same time telling him that
I declined signing any more from
date above referred to.

Very Respectfully
Alfred J. Fine
Chm. Supt.

155-101-69
Lebanon Ky
Dec 1. 69

Fidler James M

Sends copy of Ar-
ticles of incorpo-
ration of Runkle
Institute at Leb-
anon Ky

Due 15. 69
Articles sent
J. 4 Free by letter
Dec 1. 69
Read Back Feb
14. 1870

Journal
Mar 15. 69
Copy sent with
major required
inclosed
Please return
it as soon as
practicable
W. P. Davis
for Col Runkle
at 25. 69
Return with
copy of paper
to Runkle Institute
to make no deal
with any one
excepting on request
of J. H.

Lebanon Ky
Mar 9. 69
Fidler James M
asks for article
Chief of mission
line of the school
at Lebanon -
says he will
return them promptly

Lebanon Ky
Nov 9, 69

Fidler Jas M

Asks for articles of incorporation of The School at Paducah -

Says he will return them promptly

Louisville Ky
Nov 15. 69

Respy ret'd with
paper required
inclosed

Please return
it as soon as
practicable

W. P. Baues
for Col Runkle
Bt Col + D.O.

Returned with
copy of paper
of Runkle Institute
Please make no dues
to Runkle for a
any an organ-
+ Ling +
J. H. Hays

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Nov 15. 69
J. H. Hays
for Col Runkle
Bt Col + D.O.

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J. H. Hays
for Col Runkle
Bt Col + D.O.

J. H. Hays
for Col Runkle
Bt Col + D.O.

Dec 1. 69
J. H. Hays
for Col Runkle
Bt Col + D.O.

Lebanon Ky
Apr. 9. 19

C. B. Prunkle
C. B.

Lansville

Dear Sir:

Will you send to our friends
residing at B. P. Prunkle School
at Paducah? I only want to see
them for a moment & will thank
you promptly -

Rufus Fidler

D. E. H. 1 - 69.

West Point Sky

December 13. 69.

Teller Mrs. Caroline

States that she has pur-
chased House & Lot for 3000.
has paid 200 \$ upon it, and
asks aid from the Bureau
to the extent of \$100. to com-
plete the purchase - Leaches
School & neighbors during the
week. People thoroughly alive
to the necessity of an Educa-
tion fund. K. K. threaten Tar & Feather

60-1-69

Berea College

Berea Ky Decr 21-69

See No 9.

Encloses letter from A. A. Ben
lieff stating that he will not
be able to take charge of school
before 1st of March with his
family reasons for advising him
to remain until that time
at the College

Copy to

Journal

WAR 548

Berea College,

Berea, Ky. Dec 21 1869

Dear B. H. Lunkle
Lawrenceville Ky

Dear Sir The
Faculty of Berea College on learning
the purpose of Augustus Purdy to
go out as teacher deem it wise
to urge him not now to go as
by so doing he will so far fall
behind his class as to lose a full
College year but by remaining
until Spring or June he can then
take a school and with some study
be ready to go on with his class

Hereafter we shall publicly
request pupils to first confer with
the Faculty before involving you in
correspondence & plans.

We cannot do just with friends
you wish but as those who

There is no other young man
 must have the right to accompany
 him and propose
 we must counsel him

Mr. Baughan may
 be induced also to wait the month
 for same purpose

Yours truly

Gen. S. P. Rankin

Dear Sir

You stated in your letter, that I

could not get a school any time between
 now and the first of March, I had
 decided to teach earlier but my teachers
 say that I can leave time enough to
 teach a three month school before
 your time for closing. So I shall be ready
 to teach after this eleven weeks, begging
 pardon for disappointing you
 as I have. With respect A. A. Zurlough

I have just received the answer to my
 letter bearing date of 17th / 18th for it is by
 mail.

cannot expect this young man
 present there in order to accept
 what the local people
 we must accept them
 the suggestion may
 be considered also to wait the month
 for some purpose

your friend
 J. P. Runkle

J. P. Runkle

Dear Sir

I am glad to hear that I

can get a school any time between
 now and the first of March, I am
 inclined to teach as long as my teachers
 say that I can leave I am enough to
 teach a three month school before
 your time for closing. So I shall be ready
 to teach after this eleven weeks, beginning
 pardon for delay. I am yours
 as I have, with respect O. A. Burleigh

I have just received the answer to my
 letter bearing date of 17th. I look for it next
 mail.

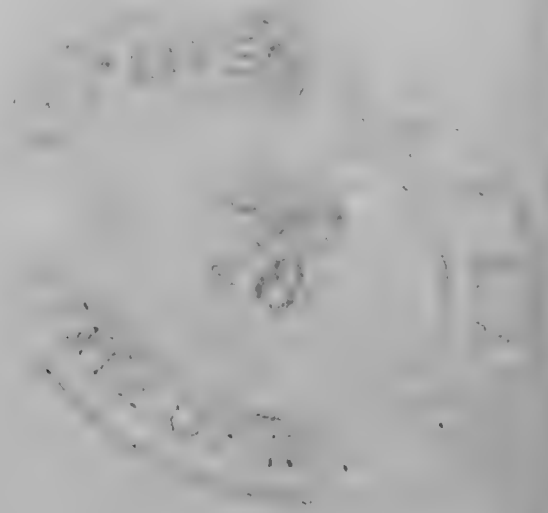
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Burksville Ky

Decr 27. 69 -

Freeman M

Acknowledges recpts of prospectus
of Louisville Commercial
has received no encourage-
ment from local population
wishes Two Dollars deduc-
-ted from his rent for one
year's Subscrip for Weekly
Paper & has forwarded
to him -



Burkville Ky
Dec^r 23rd 1869

Gen Col W. P. Runkle, U. S. A

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the prospectus of the Louisville daily Commercial, which you sent me, and have conversed with several of the Colored population in regard to it, without as yet any encouragement from them.

I wish to subscribe for one copy of the weekly for one year, and as it ^{is} unsafe to send money by mail, you will confer a favor by directing the Treasurer to deduct two dollars out of last months rent (which I have not received yet) and request him to send to the Editor of the paper for me

I am very respectfully
Your Obedt servant
Wm. Freeman

G. I. Vol. 1. 1869.

Mt Sterling Ky
Dec 31 1868

Graham Mather E.

Receipts for Cash 2460
for Dec Paid for Dec 1868

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1869

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 2-1869

Recd Dec 14 Dec. 1868

Ky.,

1868.

Received from Bvt. Col. BEN. P. RUNKLE.
U. S. A., Major 45th Inf., Chief Disbursing Officer
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands.
State of Kentucky, Dollars
and Cents, by Check No. ,
on U. S. Depositary, Louisville, Kentucky.

Witness:

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky., Dec 14 1868.

Mattie C. Graham
to her account

I have the honor to enclose herewith Check

No. *2460* on the U. S. Depositary at Louisville, Ky., for \$ *20⁰⁰*

in payment of your account for *Rent for Dec 1868*

Mattie C. Graham

Please acknowledge receipt of the same.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Wm. R. R. R.

*Maj. 45th U. S. Inf., Bvt. Col. U. S. Army,
Disbursing Officer, State of Kentucky.*

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Russellville Ky
Jan 4. 1869
Grubbs Wm M. Gen

Says the Colored people
of Russellville Logan Co
and of Hardins Precinct
Logan Co. are desirous of
building permanent School
Houses and wish to know
the general grounds upon
which they may hope for
aid from the Bureau

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 6 - 1869

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Asst Comm's Office Ky
Louisville Jan 18. 69

Respectfully referred
to Bk Capt A. B. Brown
Asst Supt Schools
Paducah Ky for
report & recomen-
dation -

By order
Bk Col Ben P. Runkle
Levi F. Bennett,
Em 457 Bk Captain uga
1869 a. a. a. Genl

Recd back P. L. O. Ky Feb 19 / 69
Russellville, Ky.
22. Mar. 69.

As. Supt. returned. I have personally
informed US Comr. Wm M. Grubbs
of the nature of the Law, and its
operation, granting assistance to Socie-
ties of Freedmen in completing School
Houses, that aid can only be furnished
to complete such Houses, after compe-
tent assurance that good schools
can be sustained therein, upon
which Bonds will be required from
Trustees that the use of such Buildings
for School purposes shall never be
denied or abridged.

Recd back
A. L. O. Ky
March 24 - 1869

A. Benson Brown
Bk Capt. 1st Lt 43rd Inf
Add to Bu R F & A

Russellville Kentucky
January 4th 1869

Sol. B. P. Rucker

Sir,

The Colored people of this place desire to build for themselves a permanent School House, either Connected with a new Church which they intend Building or separate from it on the same grounds. They have a lot & an old Brick House on it originally used by the whites. They intend selling the lot & using the Material of which there is a large amount in a new Building on another lot which they have secured. Their object is to provide permanently for a School as well as Church building. The white Population are very friendly to the enterprise & years ago gave them the old Church which they now propose removing. They wish to know the general grounds upon which they may hope for aid from your Department. They need aid & will if possible to shape matters as to bring themselves within

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the rules upon ^{which} the Bureau (or what ever it
now is) can give them aid. Any grounds they
secure for Church or School purposes will
be deeded to them. They wish to know what
they must do as preliminary to aid from
your Board.

A similar enquiry has today
been made to me from the Haverhill Precinct
in this County. It is a loyal neighborhood and
the Colored men who came to me state the
Whites want them to have a school. That they
can get for a small sum from 14 to 6 Acres
deeded to them & aid in building a House
They wish to know likewise if they can
be aided in their enterprise.

Please give me the general ground
on which aid may be expected

Very truly —

Yours
J. M. Grubb
A. S. Combs

5. Vol 1. 1869.

Franklin Co Ky
Jan 4. 1869

Griffin Septa,

Says his School is
not situated at the Forks
of the Elk River. but in
the Dist of Elk River Frank-
lin Co Ky. Says they have
one School room the rent
of which will be about \$50
per

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 7-1869

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Asst Commr Office Ky
Louisville Jan 13. 69

Respectfully referred
to Chap N. H. Noble
Asst Supr Schools
Louisville Ky. for
investigation, report
& recommendation

By order of

Br Col Ben Runkle

Levi F. Conner

Br Capt W. J. A. A. A. A.

a a a a a

Jan 13 1869

But Col. Ben P Runkle Louisville
 U.S. Army
 Disbursing Officer
 Louisville Ky

Sir

In answer to your communication na-
 cation of the 4th Jan⁶? Our School is not
 located at the forks but in the district of
 Elkhorn Franklin Co-ky we have one
 school room the rent of which will be
 about \$ 5.00 I would be very glad to see
 you in person about the school there are some
 doubts entertained about having the school
 at the Forks of Elkhorn Park for your
 decision in the matter so come immedi-
 ately if you can and see about it let me
 yours Truly

Jessie Griffin

Teacher of the former
 freedmen school
 located at
 Franklin
 Co.
 Ky

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Washington. Jan 5. 69

Gordon J. C. L.

Acknowledges receipt
of his revocation of
appointment as Clerk
Bureau of Ky.

Recd A. B. O. Ky Jan 8-1869

Washington D. C.

January 5th 1869

Dr. Geo. B. P. Runkle & Co.

Leicester Ky.

Colonel

I have the honor
to acknowledge receipt of letter dated War
Department, Bureau R. F. & L., Washington
December 19th 1868, reaching my appointment
as an Officer Bureau R. F. & L. in the State
of Kentucky to date December 31st 1868

I am

Colonel

Very respectfully
your Obedt Servt

Geo. B. Runkle

Of 15. vol 1 1869

Cincinnati Ohio

Jan 6. 69

Gordon Wathe

Writes about the school
at South Fork Ky. and
requests a situation else-
where. Pays to send her
Checks to Cincinnati Ohio
154 Longworth St.

Stiles School Building
Cincinnati

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Recd. A. D. C. Ky Jan 21-69

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Jan 21-69

Respectfully referred to Chap
J. H. Noble. for his information
& action.

By order of
Genl. F. D. Bennett
as agent

Bureau B. I. and A. L.
Post Office Office Ky
Louisville Jan 29. 69
Respectfully referred to Chap
J. H. Noble. for his information
& action.

By order of
Genl. F. D. Bennett
as agent

9. 15. Oct. 1869

Cincinnati Ohio
Jan the 6th 1869

Youngton Kentucky
To Mr J. C. Hale

Dear Friend I take
this opportunity of writing you a
few lines concerning the school
reported to your notice as the
South Fork School of which
I was teacher and taught for
them two months Nov & Dec
was sent for by the people ~~in~~
during the month of September
but owing to the illness of my
mother I did not then go
until the latter part of the
month of October on my
arrival I soon learned that
they was wholly unprepared
for a teacher in the 1st place
they had just commenced
their school building and 2nd
they had made no provision

for the support of a teacher
they had never ascertained
from the Bureau whether
they would assist them in
carrying on a school and
at the same ^{time} they knew they
of themselves were too poor
to support a school I was on
the point of returning home
but I finally listened to the
persuaders of the people one
man offering to give a private
room in his ^{dwelling} house to hold
school in until the school
house was finished so I taken
up the 1st day of Nov and the
committee written to you
soliciting aid in support
of their school in and we
proposed to assist them provi-
ding they would furnish a
room free and pay the teacher
board they all agreed and I

wrote to you also the people
at that time were working
on the school house and they
requested me to let you know
through my letter that the
school house would be done
that week I had no idea but
what it would be ^{so} I wrote
to you, ^{and} that week passed and
next and the whole month
finally passed and the men
all stopped they said they were
compelled to make their bread
and I still continued to teach
in the private room I finally
remonstrated with them but
not finishing the school house
and they said they would fin-
ish it while I came home for the
holidays I came home Christmas
night and intended going back
new years morning or the day
after when I received a letter

from one of the Committee in
 which he stated that the school
 house was not done and they have
 no stone the people were very
 well satisfied with the advance-
 ment of these children during the
 two months I taught they did ap-
 pear to like me very well but they are
 a very ignorant people and without
 any money often when they could
 have worked on their school house
 you would oblige me very much
 if you would give me a situation
 some where else I can give you
 references if that is required my
 register I have with me that is the
 one that you sent me when I
 was at South Hook and the other
 pay for the month of Dec you
 are send to this city please let
 me hear from you and whether
 you are give me a situation or
 not I am your son & a situation
 I am very truly yours
 Nathan London

P.S. Sent to 154 Long Acker St
 Cincinnati Ohio

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Shelbyville Ky

Jan'y 20. 69

Grisby Simon

Says they have a
new teacher. Joseph
D. Humphreys. Requests
the same amt paid
him \$20.1 that was paid
E. E. Hambrong h.

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See if on our books
and change name
Rev A. G. O. Ky Jan 22/69

Bureau B. Jones A. R.
Asst Comm Exhree Ky
Louisville Ky Jan'y 29. 69

Respectfully referred to
Chap J. H. Noble Asst
Supt of Education for re-
marks

By order of

But Ellen J. Rushlee

Levi J. Brunette

But Capt W. G.

A. J. H. General

Shelbyville Ky. Jan. 20th / 69
Col. B. P. Runkle
Louisville Ky.

Dear Sir

We have sent for a qualified
Teacher opened school on
Thy 11th day Jan
Last session Bureau aid
was 20 dollars number scholars
in Dec. report Enrollment
70, Regular Attendance 30,
We hope you will do as

well by our present teacher
~~Joseph~~ Joseph D. Mumford
as you did for C. C. Hasbrough
Last session The present
enrollment will be near
about the same as before
The terms of Tuition is 50 cents
or about the same as before
please give us the same you
did before as the school is
proceeding. next Page

Location of School. Baptist
Church Shelbyville Ky.

yours Truly
Simon Gripsby
Chairman Com.

Encl. Gibbs 1865

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Neuderson Ky

January 19. 1869

Gilchrist William

Asks aid to the ex-
tent of Fifteen
15 Gallons to repair
his School building

Granted; see letter to
H. S. Gilchrist Feb 23 69

Paul

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 23 1869

Bureau A. S. O. A. S. O.
West Union Office Sta Ky
Louisville Ky Jan 29. 69

Respectfully referred
to B. S. O. A. S. O.
Bureau. Asst Supt of
Education for report
and recommendation; These
papers to be returned,
By order of

Pat. Supt. B. S. O. A. S. O.
Levi L. Burnett

Enc. B. S. O. A. S. O.
Ky Feb 23 1869

Bureau R. S. O. A. S. O.
Louisville Ky. Feb 23 1869

Respectfully returned. I recommend
that 25.00 be expended to repair this house,
its condition requiring at least that amount.

A. Benson

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Recd back A. S. O. Ky Feb 23 1869

Encls. 17th Feb 1865

Henderson January 19th 65

Mr. Runkle. Sir I assert to you
my wants & circumstances as my school
is at present not in operation as I have
vacated; consequence is & reasons the build-
ing that I have occupied & the only
building in the place that I can
be gotten for the purpose. It is in such
~~bad~~ a state that it is entirely unsuit-
able for occupying in this season of the
year without ^{great} Reparation, and as I
thought that it would be expedient
& necessary for to apply to you for help
so as I can resume my business
again at an early date as will be
practicable. I written a letter to
Mr. Brown of Paducah & stated my
necessities but received no answer:
it will take about \$15 to get the build-
ing in a suitable state for work.
Please answer & let me know if

if you can afford me any remuneration or not. answer as soon as possible as I would like to recommence as soon as possible my school

Yours Obedient servant
most Respectfully
William Gilchrist

Q 22 M 1. 1769.

Louisville Dec 31. 1868

Graham Jno. L.

Bot Ceph re

Turner's Bankers
for services for the
month of Decr 1868

(1 Encl)

Recd A. C. O. Ky Jan 26 1869

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Russell M. N.
Feb 6 1869

Goubs Wm M. Dea
U. S. Commr.

Says the Trustees advanced
to the Teachers of the School
(Carter) \$3.5 for January, and
asks that the rent for
January be paid to James
Barner as re.

(Enclosure)

Amount to C. A.
Curry as per Jan 1869

Recd A. S. O. by Feb 8 - 1869

is withheld they not only lose what they ^{advance}
him but will have to pay the January rent for
the use of the Room. The \$25.00 for January is
necessary to enable them to meet the Rent & reimburse
them for advanced on the score of salary to Carter.

The Trustees are James Barnes, Samuel Bowling
& Spencer Hendricks - all of them worthy & reliable
men of Character and standing in this Community.
They are laboring for the good of the Colored

Russellville Ky
Feb 6th 1869

Col R P Runkle

Sir

Yours in answer to action of the Cold Miter
is to hand - has been delivered to them & is
satisfactory

As check has been received by M^r
M W Matar for January & none for them they
are a little exercised on the subject & desire me
to write in their behalf

They stated in their communication that
they owed M J Carter nothing & think it likely their
January amount of \$25.00 is withheld until the present
Teacher Rev E H Curry earns his.

Now the facts are that Carter desired to make a
visit to his friends during the Christmas holidays
& applied to them to advance his January pay.
This they did & upon it he visited Cincinnati
& returned 1st January. Fearing he might wish
to draw the money upon his Report & Receipts for
January they made the statement that nothing was
due him. He had assigned it to them in consideration
of advances made by them before the Service was rendered.
They were to be paid for advances made him by Collection
from patrons & the January installment from you. If this

is withheld they not only lose what they advanced him but will have to pay the January rent for the use of the Room. The \$25.00 for January is necessary to enable them to meet the Rent & reimburse them for advanced on the score of salary to Carter.

The Trustees are James Barner, Samuel Bowling & Spencer Hendrick, - all of them worthy & reliable men of Character and standing in this Community. They are laboring for the good of the Colored Population & it would be a misfortune for them to lose by Carter's delinquency. They are Colored men having families dependent on them & a few dollars lost by them would be felt.

You can send the Check in the name of James Barner Church and it will be faithfully appropriated.

I write at their instance and request & from a personal knowledge of the facts.

Very truly

Wm. M. Gibbs, Secy
for Trustees, Co. School
Russellville Ky

Feb. 1. 1869

Poplar Plains Ky.
February 3. 1869

Graham Mattie C.
Teacher.

Makes complaint of ill
treatment by the trustees
of her School.

Asks what to do.

W. H. P. Engle

MS. A. 9. 2. 1. 578
Reel A. 9. 2. 1. 578
Feb. 1. 1869

[illegible]

Cal. Ber., Sp. Kennelb.

Distributing Office

United States

Arny

Respectful Sir,

I do not like to
leave a place without first not
ifying the officers the Trustees of
the School. have closed the house
against men because I don't
stay there all day and take 3.
and never more than 6 scholars
and they are in this B. B. C. A.
all in the same class and men
breakers they say that I ought
to give the 50 lessons out of
our book before dinner and
5 of the same after dinner
and there is not one of the

know that can read & write
 but still the Interference
 and don't know what they
 are doing. If they knew why
 I might tolerate but since
 they don't why I shall
 be out of going to Lexington
 to Parson this but in the first
 place having no means to
 go on, and you not knowing
 that I don't by my past writing
 I will you please to send
 me word by post & a charity the
 class the school here. I will
 remain a wife, I received a
 letter from you with the
 remain your obedient
 servant
 Matt. Graham

By 31 March 1869

South Laurel Ky
Feb 10, 69

Gaines Arabella²³
Teacher

Commenced
teaching Jan'y 7th &
says she had rec'd
no pay —
Asks for blank

Recy

no work school one
Register —
James M. Thayer

Recd A. L. C. Ky Feb 11-1869

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Asst. Comdr's Office Ky
Louisville Feb 23. 69

Respectfully referred
to Chap. J. K. Noble
Asst. Supt. Schools
Louisville Ky

By order of
Bk Col B. P. Runkle
L. J. Burnett
Bk Capt. W. A.
A. A. A. Genl.

Letter answered

Feb 26th 1869.

North Tawill 7 of the 10

Mr E M Esauath

I have had a very Bad time since
I have been here I have been a
teaching over a month and I
haven't been Paid yet my month
was up on the 7 of this month
I wrote to C L Peterson and the
Chap Motel to send me some
Blanks to make out my
report on and they haven't
sent them yet so I made out
my report on a sheet of Paper
and sent it to the Bureau and
they haven't sent my money yet
I can't pay my board until
I get the money from the Bureau
you are the only one I can get
any instruction from write to
the Bureau right away Please you
will oblige me

Isabella Gairas

The People here are able to
send their Children
I haven't got but 17 Scholars

Q 37 Feb 1. 1869

Russell M. St
Feb 16. 1869

Trubb H. M.

Cheks for School blanks
and vouchers,

Recd. A. C. O. St Feb 19. 1869

Off

Russellville Ky Feb 16 1869

Please find Report of Night
Colored School taught by Rev E. H. Curry

Please send Blanks for School
Reports & also several sets of Blank
Receipts for pay. One is needed for
September & also January on which nothing
has been paid & also for February Report.

If the September Report of
the School has been mislaid one will
be supplied.

Col B. P. Hinkle
Louisville Ky.

Very truly
Wm. H. Gibbs
for School

Y 37 Vol 1. 17th,

South Pauville / Ky
Feb 16. 1869

James Arabella

Wants school blanks
Says she has not recd her
money yet.

Blank sent to her Feb 19/69
Hers arrived in school
Recd A. L. O. H. Feb 19/69

South Danville Feb 14
 Chap P K Hotel
 I have sent to the board
 three times for some thing
 to make out my monthly
 report out on i havent a
 thing to make it out on
 I have teaching ~~the~~ one month
 and nearly two week i made
 out a report on a Piece of letter
 Paper and i havent received
 the money yet i cant pay my
 expenses until it comes and
 it will take half of it to do
 that with the Prof and all the
 send their children Please to
 send them right a way

Isabella Gaines
 Direct to South Danville

Sept 1. 1869

Franklin Co Ky
 July 18. 1869

Guffin Jephtha

Says his school will
 have to close unless
 aided by the Bureau.

Recd A. S. O. Ky Feb 20-1869

Franklin Co. Ky Feb 18th 69
But Col Ben F. Kunkley
U.S. Army
Louisville
Ky

Dear Sir
I am directed to inform you that
the ~~still~~ have School will have to
stop after this month unless rent
is paid for the room the gentleman
at whose house the School had been
in. Says he thinks that the ~~general~~
~~ment~~ Bureau ought to pay the rent
as the people are not able to do so.
he says he is very anxious for the
School to continue but cannot ~~afford~~
afford to have it in his ~~own~~ house
any longer. So the School will
have to stop unless immediate
assistance can be given from the
Bureau. I wait for your decision
in the matter.

please answer
immediately so as I may know
what to do.

Yours Truly
Teacher of - Green men School
York of Elkhorn Franklin Co. Ky
Jetha Griffin

Y 210 Feb. 1869.

Bardonia Ky
July 20 69

Graves Spm 7

Enclaves discharge
of John Ritchie
1st Lt (Co) 115 1150

Recd A. L. O. Ky Feb 20 1869

Louisville Ky

March 3 1869

Received of

John ^{his} Ritchie
mark

100 10 6900 10 10 1869

Witness

Levi T. Bennett
Ors Capa 1869

Bardstown Feb 20th 69.
 Levi H. Burnette Capt &c
 Louisville Ky

Dear Sir,

Herewith
 enclosed you will find the
 discharge papers of John Ritchie
 as requested.

When bounty &c is collected you
 will please retain in your
 hands and forward to me by
 Express Eleven Dollars. Due
 me by him for borrowed money
 and wood furnished him

Very Respect. &c

Wm. D. Graves

Bardstown
 Ky —

Y. H. H. 1. 1869

Danville Ky
Feb 18 1869

Glass James
Late Post Office

Acknowledge receipt of
his discharges,

Danville Ky
Feb 18 1869

Received my Discharges

late Post Office

James + Glass
mark

attest
Y. H. H.
C. A. Fry

Recd H. L. C. Ky Feb 20 1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., Feb 1st 1869.

Speed L. Hy. Hy.
 Danville Ky.

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith the County Receipts of Betsey Caldwell widow of Henry Caldwell late
 Co B 8 114 U.S.B. I. and James Glass late Co B 100
 U. S. B. I. who live at Danville Ky.

Please have them signed by the above mentioned
 persons, signature witnessed by two persons, and returned
 to this Office.

I will send the money by express as soon as
 the receipts come back properly signed.

Please return this letter with the receipts on the
 back of it signed by Jas Glass for his Discharge.
 I am very respectfully.

Your obt servant.



Chas Col U. S. A.

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E 42 000 1 1169

Louisville Feb 22. 69

Glass James
Lat. Pr. B. 100 CP

Receipt for \$190 trans-
mitted in letter from
A. C. C. Ky of July 20. 69.

Louisville Ky,
Feb 23 1869,

Received the \$190 - mentioned
within.

late Pin Co B 100 22267.

witnesses

attest James + Glass
his
J. P. Barker Mack
J. M. Bentue

Recd A. C. C. Ky Feb 24 1869

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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., Feb 20th 1869.

James Glass late Priv Co D 100 Ill 65.
Danville. Ky.

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith \$190—
in money, being the amount due you for Bounty,
the receipts for which, signed by you, have been
received at this Office.

Please sign the receipts on the back of this
letter, and return it to this Office without delay.

I am very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,



Burt Col U. S. A.

D.O.

NARA 597

DOMESTIC BILL OF LADING.

Form 15.

ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY.

GREAT EASTERN

EXPRESS FORWARDERS.

WESTERN & SOUTHERN

\$ 190 X

Feb 20 1869

Received from

Louisville, *Levi F Burnett*

one Pkg. Sealed and said to contain
One hundred and ninety dollars

Addressed

James Glass
Danville Ky

Upon the special acceptance and agreement that this Company is to forward the same to its agency nearest or most convenient to destination only, and there to deliver the same to other parties to complete the transportation—such delivery to terminate all liability of this Company for such package; and also, that this Company are not to be liable in any manner, or to any extent, for any loss, damage or detention of such package, or of its contents, or of any portion thereof, occasioned by the acts of God, or by any person or persons acting or claiming to act in any military or other capacity in hostility to the Government of the United States, or occasioned by civil or military authority, or by the acts of any armed or other mob or riotous assemblage, piracy, or the dangers incident to a time of war, nor when occasioned by the dangers of railroad transportation, or ocean or river navigation, or by fire or steam, unless specially insured by this Company, and so specified in this receipt. In no event is this Company to be liable for a greater sum than that above mentioned, nor shall it be liable for any such loss unless the claim therefor shall be made in writing, at this office, within thirty days from this date, in a statement to which this receipt shall be annexed, and the shipper and owner hereby severally agree that all the stipulations and conditions in this receipt contained shall extend to, and enure to the benefit of, each and every Company or person to whom the ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY may entrust or deliver the above described property for transportation, and shall define and limit the liability therefor of such other company or person.

Freight,

Paid

For the Company,

W. S. Root Rate

A. C. Sewell

Wrightson & Co., Printers, 165 Walnut Street, Cincinnati, O.

Thy letter of 11th inst.

Hanson - to

General J. M.

Says his volume but
deng has been repaired
but inside & out.

Hand -

paid -

file
to be sent to
to be sent to

Recd A. C. C. Ky March 5-1879

Bureau R F & J L

Louisville Ky. 26. Mar. 69

Respectfully referred to B. Capt
L. D. Burnett. A. C. C. Ky.

I recommended in my Report of
12. Sept. that this work should be
paid out of Bureau funds. The Bill
is correct & just.

Hanson Brown

B. Capt. J. L. 43 Inst

A. C. C. to Ky

Recd back A. C. C. Ky March 5-1879

Wenderson Nov 1st 69

Mr. Burnett I hasten to acknowledge
the Receipt of your voucher & letter:
& perusing the statement therein: ascer-
taining; that you will comply with
my request; by remitting to me the
sum of \$23: for to aid in Repairing
of my school house; I will suggest
that the Building has been Repaired
both Internal & External & also
have had built a privy on the premises

I remain your Obedt. Servt

most Respectfully

William Gilchrist

51. Dec 1. 1869

South Danville Ky
Mch 7. 1869

Gaius Corbetta

Says she wants her
money right away
as she is going home.

Road N. & O. Ky March 8-1869

Please to send me
the money right a way for
I am a going home
my 2 months is up the
morrow this place cant
support a teacher

Asabella
Guines

552 Feb 1. 1869

Washington March 3. 69

Grant U.S. Genl by

Ed Torngrennd only

Jan 10. A.O. #51 granting
leave of absence for
six months to Brig Genl
S. F. Cathin, Major 5th

Copy for Col Cotton handed
him March 10. 1869.

Recd. A. B. C. K. March 8. 1869

SPECIAL ORDERS }
No. 51.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, March 3, 1869.

(Extract.)

* * * * *

10. By direction of the Secretary of War, leave of absence for six months on Surgeon's Certificate of Disability, with permission to go beyond sea, is hereby granted Brevet Lieutenant Colonel *I. S. Catlin*, Captain, 45th U. S. Infantry, (Veteran Reserve Corps.)

* * * * *

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL GRANT:

E. D. TOWNSEND,

Assistant Adjutant General.

OFFICIAL:

E. D. Townsend
Assistant Adjutant General.



*Assistant Commissioner
Bureau of Land & L.
for Kentucky
Genl. Howard*

Ex 4 Oct. 1869

Woodsonville Ky
March 14, 69

Graham Mattie E.

Writes about her school
wants ink. Says there
is no Bank there is

[- 1 -]

\$20 granted for
March 1/69

Recd A. S. O. Ky March 16-1869

March 14, 1868.

Col. B. P. Penick.

Sir,

I hope I have
 by a well as you are
 that I have all the
 business men here, &
 how things should be done
 & I shall endeavor to
 do it with my ability to do so.
 I will try to get as
 much as I can for the
 and they have no bank
 here. Therefore I have to
 be a little more careful
 in my dealing with you.
 waiting for you alone I
 remain your obedient servant
 + J. P. S.

Seneca Col. Remitt

sent to Col. Rountree

1000000000

San Francisco May 26 1869.

To Whom It May Concern

This is to certify that James Turner is the Authorized Agent to receive Subscriptions and Collect Money for Berea College, That he is a man of integrity and can be relied upon We commend him and the Institution for which he is laboring

W. O. Goodloe

G. M. Adams

M. C. Johnson

W. O. Goodloe

Willard Davis

Test 3rd President of Berea College

I cert. have this work done for me
original as possible and send it up

Trusting that the above is a true
copy of the original paper now
in possession of

W. O. Goodloe, Secy. of Berea College

138 2nd letter

Spring May 27 - 1869.

To Whom It May Concern

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W. O. Goodloe

Willard Davis

Prof. J. B. H. H. H. H. H.

you please have this work done for me

as soon as possible and send it up

and by that the above is a line

of the original receipt

any you see here

138 2nd letter

S. 65 Nov 4 1869

Lexington Ky. May 28/69.

Goodloe H.B.

colliers

Certify that James Turner
is the authorized Agent to col-
lect funds for Berea College

File

After Dismissal



To Whom it May Concern.

Lexington, May, 28, 1869.

This is to Certify, That James Turner is the authorized Agent to receive subscriptions and collect money for Berea College; that he is a man of integrity and can be relied upon. We commend him and the institution for which he is laboring.

Mr. O. Govellor

G. M. Adams

M. C. Johnson

W. G. Fiddler

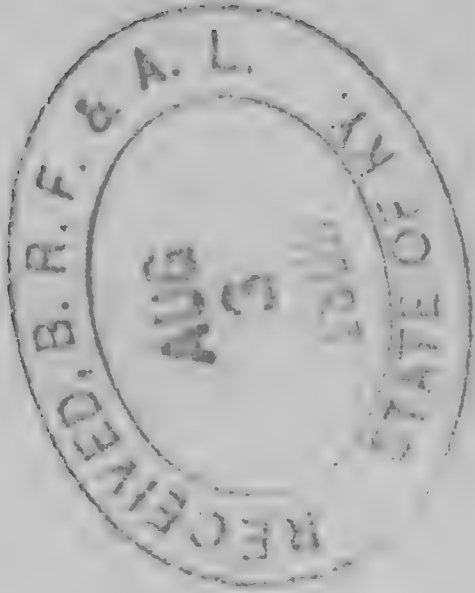
Willard Davis

I Certify that the above is a true copy of the original paper now in my possession.

Head Quarters, Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Louisville, Ky. May 31, 1869.

Run Run Run

By't, Col. U. S. A., Sup't. of Education.



169-M-1-1869

Stanford, N.Y. July 30 1869

Simon David Teacher

Says he has received pay
for 5 months work, when
there should be only 3 mos
and 10 days paid for.
Wants to know
what disposition to
make of the money.

See letter to General
August 1869

Expenditure
New York
of money
to
money



Staunton Ky
Aug 30. 1869

Col. Ben P. Runkle

Dear Sir

If I am correct you sent me pay for 5 months rent of school ^{house} whereas there was only 3 months & 10 days rent due from the fact that the remainder of the session was taught in our meeting house and I understand you do not pay any rent for churches. The rent of the school house cost us \$5. per month. You will therefore see that I have more money than is necessary - Please inform me what I am to do with the

remainder.

Yours Very Respect
David Griens

4. 9. 4. 1869

Henderson 124

Dec 20 - 69

Frederick Williams

States that he has sent in
3 Reports - but no Money - Why?
Mr. Mitchell told him - has
was to receive 20¢ for Mo - has
Closed his School - going South
for the winter gives reasons for
so doing - & recommends that
a Female Teacher be sent to
supply his place -

~~Frederick Williams~~

Received by me 2/7/0
K

Henderson Dec²⁰

Mr.unkle Sir

I make this communication to you to let you know of state of things & get information in relation to school arrangements. I have sent 3 Reports & have not received any vouchers yet. I wish you would please let me know if the Teachers under your supervision & has been will get any remuneration from the Bureau for the months of Oct. Nov. & Dec. 1869, as Mr Mitchell when he was here assured me that I would get \$200 per month the same as I have been getting heretofore & I have closed my school I will state reasons herein 1st on the account of Deficiency in payments of Salaries, which there is

which there is about $\frac{1}{2}$ of them
 paid and the other half I have not
 received any pay from. ^{2ndly} the
 building which I have been
 teaching in is too sensintable
 for school being taught in it
 this winter without some repa-
 rations. again there is snow
 available stone in the house
 for to render it comfortable in
 that capacity: as I expect to go
 south this winter on business
 it will be requisite for to pro-
 cure a teacher for here in my
 stead. as I do not expect to be
 back this winter. a female slave
 would suit better here this
 winter than male. why. is this
 about $\frac{2}{3}$ of the scholars who goes to school
 in fall. are withdrawn. and employed
 in the Tobacco factories. and ever soon
 I remain. Yours Obedt servant. ^{Yours}
 Mr. William Gilchrist

"J" 1. Vol 1 1869.

Lexington Ky
Dec 31. 1868

Wm S. C. Esq

Forward Vouchers in favor
of A. B. Brainer for Rent
of School building at Somerset
for the month of Dec 1868
amtg to \$25.00

Edw. Brainer

H-1869

1 to 99

Recd A. B. Brainer Ky Jan 1-1869.

WAR 619
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands---Eastern District, Kentucky,
Chief Sub. Assistant Commissioner's Office,

Lexington, Ky., Dec 31st 1868

Wt Col Ben D. Runkle

U.S.A. - Chief of Staff

Louisville Ky

Colonel

I have the honor to
enclose herewith vouchers in favor of
A. B. Braine for rent of school building at
Somerset Ky, and would most respectfully
request that check for same be forwarded to
him at this place at your early convenience
as he is now in this city and desires to
return to his home in Pennsylvania as soon
as possible.

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully

Your Obedient

M. Hale

Supt Schools East Dist Ky.

"M" 2 Vol 1. 1869.

Washington D.C.
Jan 2, 1869

General O.O.

Dr Major General

Telegraphs. Dr Major J. M. Lee
that the Secy of War directs
him to proceed to Raleigh
N.C. and report to the A.C.
for duty. Stopping at Washing
ton en route

Original handed to Mr

Mr Clay Jan 3-1869

Cop sent Genl Thomas. Jan 4 1869

Recd A.C. O. K. Jan 2-1869
256 D. M.

The Western Union Telegraph Company
 Dated at Washington D.C. Jan'y 2^d 1869
 Received at 2 20 P.M.

To Capt J Mc Cleary Ordnance Bureau
 The Secretary of War directs that you proceed
 to Raleigh N.C. and report to the Assistant Com-
 missioner for duty. Stop at this city enroute.

24 W-295/pol (Signed) C.C. Howard
 Bvt Maj Genl

A true copy.
 Levi L. Bennett
 Bvt Capt U.S.A.
 U.S.A. Genl

"24" 4. Vol 1. 1869.

Washington Dec 31. 68

Received O.O. No. 500
by Bvt Brig Gen Geo W Ballou
C.D.O.

Return letter of Col Sum-
mers of Dec 28. 1868 with
acknowledgement of the
receipt of receipts enclosed
therein,

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 3-1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Aban. Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER,

Washington, DEC 31 1868.

Respectfully returned. The
within named
receipted vouchers
have this day been
received

Geo. W. Ballou

Bvt. Brig.-Gen. and Chief D.O.,
Bureau R., F., and A.L.

Bureau of Land & Woods
Act Commr Office State of Ky.
Louisville Dec 28th 1868.

Bot. Brig. Genl. Geo. W. Balloch
Chief Disbursing Officer
Washington. D. C.

General:-

I have the honor to transmit herewith receipts in duplicate of the following named persons for Bounty which has been paid them.

Adams Robert	Bot Co D 118 Co B	\$ 87.00 ✓
Allen George	" " D 100 "	\$ 187.50 ✓
Bird James	Sergt " D 8 Start	\$ 285.50 ✓
Blackman Henry	Bot " Co 108 Co B	\$ 187.00 ✓
Brook John	" " Co 8 Start	\$ 200.00 ✓
Blue Carter	" " D 8 "	\$ 187.10 ✓
Barrett Jasper	" " Co 118 Co B	\$ 87.00 ✓
Barrett Thomas	" " Co 118 "	\$ 87.00 ✓
Barrett Philip	" " Co 118 "	\$ 87.00 ✓
Barrett Nicholas	" " D 118 "	\$ 87.00 ✓
Bibb Randall	" " D 118 "	\$ 87.00 ✓
Baker Rie	" " D 8 Start	\$ 187.00 ✓
Biggum Edward	" " D 8 "	\$ 200.00 ✓
Blackwell James	" " D 4 "	\$ 95.00 ✓

Brownson William	Pvt	Co A	5	Start	\$ 287.00✓
Brownson Rufus	Sgt	" E	8	"	\$ 187.00✓
Bird Jerry	Pvt.	" K	8	"	\$ 187.00✓
Claypool Austin	"	" I	5	Clear	\$ 87.00✓
Churchill Edward	"	" I	8	Start	\$ 187.00✓
Cumtaw William	"	" D	8	"	\$ 187.00✓
Chapman Major	Cpl	" A	8	"	\$ 187.00✓
Caldwell Kitty	Wid of Isaac	Caldwell	Pvt Co A	8 Start	\$ 455.10✓
Cobb Solomon	Pvt	Co D	8	Start	\$ 187.00✓
Coost Silas	"	" D	8	"	\$ 187.00✓
Christian John	"	" A	118	CS	\$ 87.00✓
Crockett Allen	Copl	" I	4	Start	\$ 57.95✓
Clemens Benjamin	Pvt	" I	108	CS	\$ 187.00✓
Cruise John	Copl	" I	8	Start	\$ 187.10✓
Cobb William	Pvt	" E	107	CS	\$ 187.00✓
Cutke Henry	Pvt	" I	100	CS	\$ 188.50✓
Dugan Jack	"	" D	109	"	\$ 200.00✓
Dixon Edward	"	" B	118	"	\$ 87.00✓
Dobson Edward	"	" A	8	Start	\$ 87.10✓
Dobson Archy	Sergt	" B	8	Start	\$ 187.10✓
Dooms Clifford	"	" D	8	"	\$ 188.50✓
Diggs George	Pvt	" I	4	"	\$ 123.50✓
Edson Washington	"	" B	108	CS	\$ 188.50✓

Ester Rose Wm of Anderson	Ester	Pat Co E	109	65	\$ 246.98 ✓	
Dowler Green	Pat	Co D	8	Hart	\$ 187.10 ✓	
Disher Samuel	"	"	3	"	\$ 187.00 ✓	
Dowler John	"	"	A	8	\$ 187.00 ✓	
Gardner Wyatt	"	"	G	100	65	\$ 169.00 ✓
Groves Jasper	Capt	"	I	8	Hart	\$ 184.50 ✓
Gilchrist John	Pat	"	A	8	"	\$ 187.10 ✓
Gowers Ester Wm of Frank Gowers	Pat	Co D	8	Hart	\$ 223.50 ✓	
Haines Nelson	Capt	Co B	8	Hart	\$ 187.10 ✓	
Hodge Colney	Pat	"	I	8	"	\$ 187.10 ✓
Hamilton Leaban	Pat	"	D	8	"	\$ 187.00 ✓
Henderson Jerry	"	"	K	8	"	\$ 187.00 ✓
Hill William	"	"	K	8	"	\$ 187.00 ✓
Holland John Wm of Harry Holland	Pat	Co E	12	Hart	\$ 101.05 ✓	
Holloway Ming	Pat	Co D	8	Hart	\$ 187.00 ✓	
Hobby Moses	"	"	D	8	"	\$ 187.00 ✓
Hart Samuel	"	"	G	118	65	\$ 87.00 ✓
Hight Green	"	"	B	125	"	\$ 162.00 ✓
Hick Isaac	"	"	B	118	"	\$ 87.00 ✓
Hancock Grant	"	"	B	118	"	\$ 87.00 ✓
Hughes Rose Wm of Samue Hughes	Pat	Co K	8	Hart	\$ 10.80 ✓	
Hughes Maria Wm of Bloomfield Hughes	Capt	"	A	8	"	\$ 297.56 ✓

Johnson John	Oct	Co	E	8	Start	\$287.00 ✓
Jones William	Sept	"	G	8	"	\$187.00 ✓
Johnson Dick	Oct	"	E	109	65	\$100.00 ✓
Johnson Jesse	"	"	B	8	Start	\$187.10 ✓
Kanner Harvey	"	"	St	100	65	\$90.00 ✓
Lynch Noah	"	"	B	44	"	\$194.50 ✓
Lee Glasgow	"	"	R	8	Start	\$187.00 ✓
Love Thomas	"	"	G	8	"	\$187.10 ✓
Landon Charles	"	"	L	5	6 bar	\$90.00 ✓
Mims Lee	"	"	L	8	Start	\$287.00 ✓
Myer Daniel	"	"	E	8	"	\$187.10 ✓
Morton Sam	"	"	B	45	65	\$200.00 ✓
Mc Elroy John	"	"	A	8	Sta	\$187.00 ✓
Mansfield Alexander	"	"	L	8	"	\$187.00 ✓
Moss Franklin	"	"	D	8	"	\$187.00 ✓
McPherson John	"	"	R	8	"	\$187.00 ✓
Marshall Henry	"	"	D	8	"	\$187.00 ✓
May Benjamin	Sept	"	D	100	65	\$187.50 ✓
Parkman George	Oct	Co	E	108	65	\$101.74 ✓
Phillips James	Oct	Co	E	108	65	\$187.00 ✓
Powell Joseph	"	"	L	8	Sta	\$187.00 ✓
Powell A. John	"	"	A	8	"	\$187.10 ✓
Perskin Vincent	"	"	A	8	"	\$187.10 ✓

Payton Samuel	Plt Co 15 18 68	\$ 100.00 ✓
Pick Thomas	Capt " 12 7 18 68	\$ 187.00 ✓
Rice Henry	Plt " 8 7 "	\$ 187.00 ✓
Red William	" " 12 7 "	\$ 187.00 ✓
Riley America	Wid of James Riley Plt Co 16 68	\$ 314.20 ✓
Rice Edmund	Plt Co 13 7 18 68	\$ 187.00 ✓
Small Charles	" " 6 10 9 68	\$ 200.00 ✓
Stevens John 1 st	" " A 11 8 "	\$ 89.25 ✓
Scott Samuel	" " A 11 8 "	\$ 87.00 ✓
Slughter Joshua	" " B 11 8 "	\$ 87.00 ✓
Shannon Geo.	" " E 8 18 68	\$ 287.00 ✓
Stone Peter	" " K 8 "	\$ 187.00 ✓
Smith Squire	" " 12 7 "	\$ 187.00 ✓
Stiles Edward	" " 14 11 8 68	\$ 87.00 ✓
Smith David	" " G 5 6 68	\$ 38.75 ✓
Shelby Charles	" " 12 7 18 68	\$ 187.10 ✓
Shinn Alfred	" " 10 10 8 68	\$ 190.00 ✓
Tate David	" " 11 8 68	\$ 87.00 ✓
Thompson Josephus	" " A 8 18 68	\$ 187.00 ✓
Thompson Henry	Capt " 12 7 "	\$ 187.00 ✓
Tinsley Henry	" " 12 7 "	\$ 114.50 ✓
Tinsley Margaret	Wid of William Bennett Plt Co E 8 18 68	\$ 223.62 ✓
Twell Samuel	Plt Co 13 7 18 68	\$ 187.00 ✓

Oiley Robert	Plt Co E 1st	\$257.00 ✓
Orde Thos	" " E 1st	\$187.00 ✓
Oradington Andy	" " R 1st	\$187.00 ✓
Orellan David	" " G 1st	\$187.00 ✓
Oorden George	Sgt " E 4th	\$115.60 ✓
Omn Peter	Plt " D 1st	\$187.00 ✓
Orellan Robert	" " I 4th Co	\$87.00 ✓
Olsen Wesley	" " R 1st	\$187.00 ✓
Olsen John	" " I 1st	\$187.00 ✓
Orrison William	" " Co 118 Co	\$87.00 ✓
Orrison George	Capt " I 5th Co	\$87.00 ✓
Orrison Dennis	Plt " G 118 Co	\$87.00 ✓
Orrison Mary Wid of	Plt Co E 4th	\$65.46 ✓
Orrison Alfred	Plt Co C 1st	\$187.10 ✓
Orrison Richmond	" " R 14 Co	\$300.00 ✓
Orrison Andrew	" " I 119 Co	\$300.00 ✓
Orrison Mike	" " C 15 Co	\$100.00 ✓

Very respectfully

Your obedient servant

[Signature]

Port Colonel U.S. Army,
Distig Officer State of Ky.

"Jd" 7. Vol 1. 1869.

Stanford Jan 2 69
13

Nelson Isabella

Asks if the Bureau
will aid them in the
erection of a school house

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 4-1869

Stanford Ky Jan 2 69

Port Col Ben P Runkle

M. O. Army
Disbursing Officer
Louisville Ky.

Sir

One of the trustees requested me to write you a few lines, in regard to the school building he has ~~been~~ purchased lumber; on ~~time~~ and will commence immediately, to erect a school house from what I learned they have purchased the lot. and he ~~wishes~~ ^{Mr. Foster wishes} to know if the Government

would aid them some toward
putting up the building. The
house, they now occupy, they
cannot remain there only
for a short time, and they
think it best to build if they
can get some aid from the
Government. There is very good
prospect for a large school from
what I learned through one of
the trustees (Mr Henry Hocker)
He is exceedingly anxious to
have a school, and it is very
much needed in this locality.
Col. please write as soon as
possible, for they are very anx-
ious to hear your opinion in
regard to this matter. I should
have stated that the lot has been
purchased some time.

Please answer immediately

Very Truly Yours
Isabella Henderson

Bureau R. F. & A. S.
Asst Comm's Office Ky
Louisville Jan'y 13.69

Respectfully referred
to Chap T. H. Noble
Asst Sup't Schools
Louisville Ky. for
investigation, report
& recommendation

By order of
Bk Col Bent Runkle
Levi L. Burnett
Bk Capt M. J. A
a a a seal

Feb 24 1869

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Chenango Ky. Jan 1. 69

Mary Margaret

Forward Voucher for
Rent for December 1868
amount to 1500

Wm. H. H. H.

Recd A. B. O. of Jan 4/69

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Muston Ky July 1. 1869

Hayes Margaret

Says to direct Vouchers
Reports and School Blanks
to Julia A Brown Teacher
Tuesmere School Muston
Ky. in the future,

File

Revised July 11. 1866

Letter to Mr. [illegible]

File

Days to direct vouchers
to agents and other banks
to Julia Brown's check
Customs Office
Ky. in the future,

Days Margaret

Answers by Jan. 1. 1869

"Jan. 1. 1869."

Rev. A. L. O. H. Jan. 1. 1869

"
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Washington & C
January 2. 69

Remond C. O. Maj. Genl
by Bt Brig Genl Balloch
Chief D.O.

Return letter of Bt
Col Gen J. F. Fulk D.O.
By with receipt enclosed
thereon for Bounty receipt
of Augustus Barney. Late
C. F. M. use.

Recd. A. S. O. H. Jan 5-1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Aban. Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER,

Washington

Jan 2^d 1868.

Respectfully returned. The
within named
receipts rec'd.

[Signature]

Bvt. Brig.-Gen. and Chief D.O.,
Bureau R., F., and A.L.

1863
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky,

February 5th 1865

Br. Ing. Gen. W. B. Balloch
Chief Dist. Officer
Washington, D.C.

General

I have the honor to forward herewith
the Receipt for arrears of pay and bounty
of Augustus Harey, late 1st Lt. 16th U.S.C.T.
for \$291.⁴² which has been paid him.

Very Respectfully,

John O. Lusk

Br. Col. U.S.A.

Dist. Officer

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Bentley Green Ky

Jan 14. 1869

Robert H. E.

My dear

Says in reply to
Col Quaker letter of
Dec 27. 1868 that Mr
Calvert is the only one who
can measure the lot on
which school house stands
and he will send infor-
mation desired as soon
as practicable, asks
about purchase of Lillard
who plasters school
says he needs money

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 5-1869

for which he agreed to make a payment upon
last month - 9 weeks ago - asking if possible
to send such amount - due him as soon
as possible - Please reply
R. H. E. 1869
R. H. E. N. S. A.
Chief of Staff

He

Receiving Letter 19. July 4th / 68

Col

Your Communication under date of Dec 24th has been before me and I would have answered sooner if I could have rec^d the information. It seems the lot upon which the school house is situated was given to the colored people by Mr. J. C. Calvert, I sent word to the trustees of the school to get the size of said lot in order to give you the information. They say, "they called upon Mr Calvert for the desired information and he now refuses to get or measure it off owing to the weather and he being quite busy, but says when at leisure will do so." At what time he or they do not know. Mr Calvert will do what he promised, I am certain of this from what I know of him. The trustees have not rec^d a deed to 2^d lot and do not know themselves the amount of property and would not know how to go about measuring it off as it always requires a starting point. Mr Calvert is the only man who does know.

The (Col^d) man Lillard who done the planting

24 11 1869.

Banking Office

Jan 4, 1869

Arthur H. E.

Atty

Says in reply to
L. E. Perkins letter of
Dec 27. 1868 that Mr
Calcutt is the only one who
can measure the lot on
which the horse stand
and he will send info-
mation desired as soon
as practicable, asks
about Trachten of Lillard
who is present to school
says he needs money

Recd A. S. 15 Jan 5-1869

is becoming anxious about his money, the
reason I allude to this, not that I fear it will
not be paid) but that I said to him that
the money would be paid as soon as
the work was completed, and as he is
indebted to some one for a lot, he purchased,
for which he agreed to make a payment upon
last month I write again asking if possible
to send said amount due him as soon
as possible - Respectfully
W. E. Johnson
Per P. Perkins

Art Cal U.S.A.
Chief of Staff
J. E.

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Blomfield Ky Jan 5 69

Jarris Chas M.

Gives dimensions of the
lot on which the School
is built at Blomfield Ky

Recd A. B. O. of Jan 6-1869

NRH 642
Bloomfield Jan 8¹⁸⁸⁹

Mr Ben P Runkle Esq
Lonsville Ky

Sir

The size of the lot on which
the School House is erected
is $107\frac{1}{2}$ feet - by $214\frac{1}{2}$ feet -

it is deeded to the School
board who is also the
Trustees, the following names
are they, Hammon Brown
Anthony Stone
Charles Minor
John Pawson

Yours Obt

Charles Harris

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Mt Sterling Ky,
Jan 3. 1869
Nathaway Lewis

Says the school teacher
has not come to hand

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 6-1869

Bureau R. F. & C. L.
Asst Commrs Office Ky
Louisville Jan 13. 69

Respectfully referred
to Chap J. K. Noble
Asst Supt Schools
Louisville Ky for
information as to
whether teacher
has been sent
By order of

Bk Col Ben P Runkle
Levi F. Barnett
Bk Capt W. A.
A. A. Beul
Bureau R. F. & C. L.
Office Asst Supt Schools
Louisville Ky
Jan 16th

Jan 14 1869

Respectfully returned.
If any application has
been made during the
present school year
pretextured for next
Meeting - it has not
been refused w. this offer
Recd Asst
A. S. O. Ky
Jan 16/69
To the Noble
Office Supt Sch

NARA 545
Mt Sterling Ky Jan 3. rd 1869

Dear Sir

I wish to know something
concerning the teacher as she has not
come to school Sir I thought she would
be on Monday to commence with the
year you will please send her if
you can & we will try to take
care of her & look after her welfare I
wrote to you to send her after the
Christmas but I did not know whether
you receive my address or not I
remain yours truly.

Levir Hathorn

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Washington D.C.
Dec 31, 1868

Howard O. O. Maj Genl Cy
Chief Dr Mⁿ.

Directs Col Quaker to
sell at public auction
the property pertaining to
the Bureau within specified.

(1 Encl)

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 7-1869

715 MAY 1869.

Washington D.C. Jan 4. 69

Howard O. O. Maj Genl
by Chief Disb. Officer

Enclose his check #335
for \$266⁴⁹ to pay bounty of
Morgan David 92⁴⁰
Edmund David 92⁰⁰
Cook Barker \$184⁰⁰

Less the amt paid
Ephraim Taylor the second
time \$105⁰⁰

Wm A. O. to Balloch
Jan 7-1869.

Recd A. O. of Jan 7-1869

WAR 647

War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C. *May 4*, 1869.

Col Ben P. Runkle &c.
Louisville, Ky.
Sir:

Enclosed I send you
my check #555 on U. S. Depository at
Louisville Ky for \$266.⁴⁰/₁₀₀ to pay the
following amounts, as per vouchers enclosed.

✓ Morgan Lare	for	\$92.40
✓ Edward Lare	"	92.00
✓ Cook Barker	"	187.00
	Total	\$371.40
Leake ant. paid Ephraim Taylor. the second time		\$105.00
		\$266.40

Very Respectfully
Geo. W. Parlock
Atty Genl's Office

D. 9 Vol 1 Doc. 1868

Louisville Ky, Nov. 23rd 1868

Davis N. J.

Has been informed that
the County dued privates
Edmund and Morgan Davis,
Co. N. 4th Inf or Arty., has
been sent to Little Rock,
Ark. States that their
residence is in Christian
Co Ky,
and that it is their desire
to have the same sent to
them

Recd A. C. O. Ky Nov 23-1868

Bureau R. J. and A. L.

Asst Commis Officly
Louisville Nov 30. 68.

Respectfully forwarded
to Bt. Brig Gen Gen W. B. Pat-
lock Chief of Washington D. C.
with the information that
the money and Receipts
of Edmund Davis and
Morgan Davis, late Poto
Co "K" 4th U. S. C. Drftry, were
returned to him by letter
from this Office Oct 21. 1868.
with the information "that
these men live at Price
Bluff Arkansas"


Capt. W. B. Patlock, U. S. A.
1868. Dist. by Officly

Have sent to Col. Price
to return money

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Louisville Ky
Nov 23rd 1868

Brev Brig. Genl J. W. Ballou
Care of Genl. A. C. Howard
Washington D. C.

Sir: I have just
called on the Bureau office here to get
the bounty due privates Edmund Davie
and Morgan Davie Co. K 4th Infantry or
Artillery and find that the money
has been sent to Little Rock Ark.

Whereas their residence is in Christian
County Ky. and it is their earnest
desire to have the same sent back
to Ky. so that they may get it at
once.

~~They~~ They are now needing
their money and I would gladly aid
them in getting it in case I could do so

Respectfully Yrs. W. J. Davie
No 236, 2nd St
Louisville Ky.

1st 5 Oct 66 Post 318

See 1st Dec 66

24th Nov 1869 Jan 2-69

Post 318

Post 318

Request information
about the status
of the claims of
Augustus Fletcher
John Bellman late
Private U. S. A. 2^d
U. S. A. 2^d Regt. filed by
L. C. Howard & co in
January 1866.

File

See 4573 Vol 2 DO by 1768.

Answer by Circ. letter Dec. 14. 1868.

Recd. A. B. (Og) 8 Jan 7-1869

Off. Dept. of the Interior
Claim Division
Washington, D.C.
Received by January 2-1869

Respectfully returned to
Mr. Brig General
S. Parbank, U. S. A.
Post Com: La Fayette
Louisville Ky. with infor-
mation that the Second
Auditor of the Treasury
reports that the claims
of Augustus Fletcher,
Private U. S. A. 2^d Regt.
were settled by certificate
no 454.723, for \$200,
bounty, and sent to
Hamilton Johnson
& Messrs. Indian
applies, Ind. June 11 68
(over)

Nothing in the case
of John Bellman
has as yet been received
at the Land & Auditor's
Office.

By order of
Sgt. Major General
J. C. Howard
Commanding,
William R. Law.

Agent La Fayette
Chief of Claim Division
Recd. A. B. O. 8 Jan 7-1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky.,

Dec 8th 1865

William S. French Esq,
In Charge Census Division,
Washington D. C.

Sir

I have the honor to request in-
formation relative to the State of
the Census of Augustus Fletcher &
John Bellman late Privates Co "G" 28th
U.S. Troops - filed by L. A. Hamilton
& Co in January 1866.

Very Respectfully

Yours Obedt Servant

J. Bennett

Regt. Brig. Genl. USA

Dist. Comm. Ky.

W. C. C.

Dec 12. 65

Ms 14 C

John Bellman lives 3
4 miles from City on
Salt River Road

"J.V. 20" Vol 1. 1869

Casey Creek Ky

Jan 6. 1869

Hardwick Green

Teacher

Encloses vouchers for
rent, pay to school money
and

File

Blank vols sent to
him Jan 9/69 to sign

Recd A. B. O. Ky Jan 8-1869

Sareys Creek Ky
Jan the 6 1865
Mr Ben Rankell
if these vouchers are not Rite
send the one filled that I may
know how to fill them

I ~~think~~ I wish if you please you
will send the same money
have not Received none for
teaching school if I dont get

to I have 24 Schoons This Month
 I shall teach till the first of june
 if no longer you will please send
 the a few lines to let the man that
 that is the given Harbours
 Reason that they say Does not
 come they

"7" 21. Vol 1. 1869

Portland Green Ky
Jan 7. 69

Nelson H. C.

Enclose vouchers in
favor of Albert Lillard
for plastering Freedmen
Schools. owing to \$62 50
Also for printed Envelopes

1 Encls

10 printed envelopes sent to
Jan 9/69

Recd A. L. C. H. Jan 8-1869

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Bowling Green Ky. Aug 7th 1868.

Dear Col

I find enclosed duplicate receipts of Albert Tillard according to deduction. Anything in your line I can do for you let me know. Respectfully

Bvt. Col. Ben S. Runkle

W. E. Hobson

U.S. Army

Disbursing Officer

As I have not and expect to have a great deal more business with you, send me down a package of envelopes like those and this is enclosed - W. E. H.

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Washington Jan 4. 69

Monroe O. O. Maj Genl
by Chief Dr Mr

Special orders #2 direct-
ing Post Col Ben T. Run-
nle D. O. Ky to purchase
in open market the Station-
ery estimated by him re-
quired for use of Bureau
in Ky for Jan. Feb + Mch
1869.

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 8-1869

War Department

Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands.
OFFICE CHIEF QUARTER MASTER.

Washington,

186

SPECIAL ORDERS.

things out of funds of this Bureau in
his hands, on the approval and order for
payment endorsed thereon, of the Assistant
Commissioner for the State of Kentucky.

Col. Runkle will furnish for the in-
formation of this office, a statement of
the money paid for the Stationery purchased
under this order.

By order of

Maj. Genl. C. C. McGraw, Commr.

M^r. Col. Ben P. Runkle, act.

S. O. C. H. & B.

Louisville, Ky.

John M. Whittier
Brig. Genl. and Chief Q. M.
Bureau R. F. & A. L.

R. B. 387

No. 40.

No. _____

No. _____

No. _____ ABSTRACT K. _____ QR. 186 .

SPECIAL REQUISITION.

10. 17. 18. 19. 20. 21. 22. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35. 36. 37. 38. 39. 40. 41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49. 50. 51. 52. 53. 54. 55. 56. 57. 58. 59. 60. 61. 62. 63. 64. 65. 66. 67. 68. 69. 70. 71. 72. 73. 74. 75. 76. 77. 78. 79. 80. 81. 82. 83. 84. 85. 86. 87. 88. 89. 90. 91. 92. 93. 94. 95. 96. 97. 98. 99. 100.

SPECIAL REQUISITION.

For

- 120 (25) Twenty-five Quire Letter Paper
- 60 Sixty Quire Cap Paper
- 30 Thirty Quire Legal Cap Paper
- 60 Sixty Quire Note Paper
- 15 Fifteen Quire Double Flat Cap Paper
- 15 Fifteen Quire Envelope Paper
- 20 Twenty Sheets Blotting Paper
- 6000 Six Thousand Official Envelopes
- 750 Seven Hundred and fifty Letter Envelopes
- 6 Six Gross Steel Pens
- 3 Three Lbs Sealing Wax
- 60 Sixty Quire Office Paper
- 15 Fifteen Pints Black Ink
- 24 Twenty-four Gallons Red Ink
- 3 Three Quire Miscellaneous
- 6 Six Doz Lead Pencils

- 6 Six 8 Quire Blank Books
- 9 Nine 6 Quire Blank Books
- 12 Twelve 4 Quire Blank Books
- 24 Twenty-four 3 Quire Blank Books

I CERTIFY that the above requisition is correct; and that the articles specified are absolutely requisite for the public service, rendered so by the following circumstances: *For use of the*
of the Assistant Commissioner, Purchasing Officer, Suply
of Schools, Bureau R.T. & A.L. State of Kentucky, for
January February & March 1869

Benjamin R. R. R.
Major 45th U.S. & Bt. Cal. U.S.A.

Quartermaster, U. S. Army, will

issue the articles specified in the above requisition.

Commanding.

RECEIVED at _____ the _____ of _____, 186 ,

of _____ Quartermaster U. S. Army,

in full of the above requisition.

[SIGNED IN DUPLICATE.]

Benjamin R. R. R.
Major 45th U.S. & Bt. Cal. U.S.A.

PARA 63

War Department

Forest of 44,000 acs, Freehold and Abandoned Lands.

OFFICE CHIEF QUARTER MASTER.

Washington, Jan^y 4. 1869

SPECIAL ORDERS.

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M^r. Col. Ben. P. Runkle, U.S. S.O.
 B. & H., In the State of Kentucky, har-
 ing made requisition for stationery estimat-
 ed to be required for the use of the Bureau
 in the State of Kentucky during the months
 of January, February and March 1869, and
 the same having been properly approved (a
 copy of which requisition is hereto annexed)
 and made a part of this Special Order:—
 He will purchase in a free market on the
 most advantageous terms possible, the sta-
 tionery so estimated for; he will take up
 and account for the same, issue his cer-
 tified vouchers therefor, and pay the amount

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Washington D.C.
Dec 16. 1868

Arrived O.C. May 1868
by Ches Disb. Officer

Arrived Official Copy of
letter of John P. McPherson
W.D. giving names of News-
papers for public admissio-
ing, designated by the
House of Reps.

Recd A. S. O. K. Jan 8 - 1869

War Department
Washington D.C.
December 16th

General,

The Clerk of the House of Representatives has designated the following named Newspapers for the public advertising in the States named.

In Florida, the Sentinel, Tallahassee, in addition to the Jacksonville Union designated May 25th 1867

In South Carolina, the Republican of Charleston, in addition to the Charleston Advocate, designated September 26th 1867

In Virginia the Journal of Richmond, and the Journal of Alexandria, and the Times of Petersburg, and the Richmond News Nation.

You will please give notice of the several officers acting under orders from your Bureau.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant,
Wm. John Lott

Wm. W. O. Rogers (Comr) Chief Clerk

Official copy furnished for the information of
Bt. Col. Am. P. Loughlin

Geo. M. Bullock
Attest to the fact of the above

NRH 569
"Jl" 27. Vol 1. 1869

Lexington Dec 30. 68

Nale S. C.

Acknowledges receipt of
the revocation of his
appointment as Clerk Bureau
re Ky.

Recd A. B. O. Ky Jan 3-1869

Wm. H. Jones C. S. A.
Leaving for the room 1700
Leaving for the room 1700

Wm. H. Jones C. S. A.
Leaving for the room 1700
Leaving for the room 1700
Leaving for the room 1700

I have the honor to
acknowledge the receipt of the order
from the Department regarding the
appointment of clerk in the State of Kentucky
from the 3rd inst. as requested per Encl. 1
209 and Com. Office State of Ky. Dec 28th
1891.

I am, Sir,
Very Respectfully,
Yours Obedient Servant
W. H. Jones
Supt. State Land Office Ky.

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Washington D.C.
Jan'y 6. 1869

Howard Maj Gen U.S.
By Chief Dr Min
Encloses Transportation
Orders Nos 15 to 22 in-
clusive - for transpor-
tation of Discharged
Employees B.R. & A.L.
as requested in Gen
Burbanks letter of
Dec 16, 1868 -

B. Encl

order for L. J. True & J. B. True
handed to J. B. True Jan 11-1869

order sent to E. J. A. Schenk at
Greensburg Ky Jan 11/69.

order sent to L. C. Mathews at
Barnesboro Ky. Jan 11/69.

order sent to E. W. High at
Wetamora Ind Jan 11/69.

order handed to W. W. Ketchum
Jan 11/69.

order handed to W. W. Ketchum

Jan 11/69
order handed to D. S. Davis Jan 13/69

Receipt Sent Chief Dr Min,
Jan'y 9 69 -

Recd A. C. O. Ky Jan 9-1869

War Department,

Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER.

Washington, *January 6* 1869.

Bob Migg Gules S. Burbank, USA,

Asst. Commissioner &c.

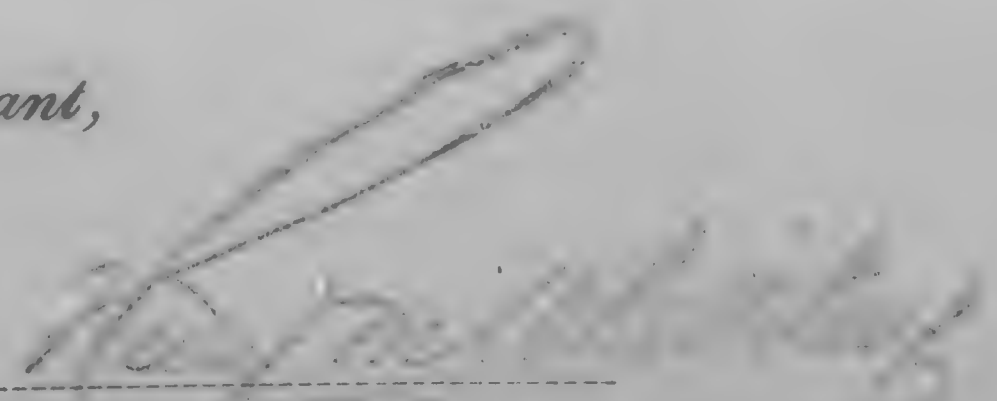
Louisville Ky.

General:

I respectfully forward herewith Transportation Orders,
Nos 15 to 22 inclusive, for transportation of
Discharged Employes Bu. R. F. & A. L.
the same having been requested by your communication
to this office, of date December 16th 1868

By order of Maj. - Gen. O. O. Howard, Commissioner.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,



Chief Quartermaster, Bureau R., F., and A. L.

NARA 668
21, Vol. 1. 1869

Washington D.C.
Jan'y 6. 1869

Howard Maj Gen O.O.

By Chief S.O.

Enclosed Che N^o 536.
on U.S.D. at Louisville
for \$595.⁷⁴/₁₀₀ To pay
bounty due

Betsy Caldwell \$282.31

Benj Marshall \$123.43

James Glass \$190,

as per enclosed

Vouchers

Recd. recd. to Ballou
Jan 9/69.

Recd. A. S. O. by Jan 9-1869

WAR 363
War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C. Jan 6, 1868

Col Rufus C. Burkle
Louisville, Ky
Sir

I send you herewith my check
556 on 30th Sept. 1867 at Louisville Ky for
for = 595.74 to pay bounty due the following
claimants, as per vouchers enclosed

| | | |
|---|---------------|---------------|
| ✓ | Betty Carrell | 552 31 |
| ✓ | Rev. Marshall | 123 48 |
| ✓ | James Gass | 190 00 |
| | | <u>595 74</u> |

Very Respy
Geo. W. Ballou
Chief Disbursing Officer

1868 375

RECEIVED
DEC 24 1868
OFFICE CHIEF D

Very respectfully referred
to Hon. Geo. Brown Esq. Spt
M. A. S. D. Chief of Claim
Division 2^d Sect.
serial No. 463731 for prop
in favor of Doug Marshall
H. 125 U. S. C. T. was sent to
your Office Nov 10. 68.

Chas. J. Mason, Attorney at Law
12.13.68.

C. A. O. -
Nov. 17. 1868

1214

Greensburg Ky Dec 9th 1868

Myrs Chipman. Hosmer & Co
My Or Sirs

Will you please arrange the matter, that Ben Marshall U.S Col's Engr for whom a certificate was granted and sent to Genl Howera may be collected for the benefit of the said Ben Marshall — Also the proper efforts that Ben can get his money

I dont know who to write to, unless it is to your firm — The claim was allowed, and you must send the proper papers for Ben to draw his money

Very Respy
Thos. Allen

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Washington D.C.
January 4. 1869.

Howard Maj Gen O.V.
By Wm P. Drew

Ack recd of papers
in claim for arrears
of pay & bounty of
Audrey McGeed by "D 66 C 5"
Jos Yates " 65 66 66

Recd A. L. O. Kz Jan 9-1869

War Department,
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,
CLAIM DIVISION.

Washington, June 4, 1869.

Wm. C. C. Collins,
J. A. C. Emmaux
Col Louisville Ky.

I am directed by Major-General C. C. Howard, Commissioner, to acknowledge the receipt this day of papers in the claim for arrear of pay, being in the case of the following-named soldiers:

Andrew Mc Gee, D Co. 46, Regt. U. S. C.
Joseph Gates C " 5 " " " Cay,

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

William P. Hunt,

Agent-Chief of Division

The O. A. C. H.

Wm. H. Smith

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Louisville, Kentucky
Dec. 23rd 1863

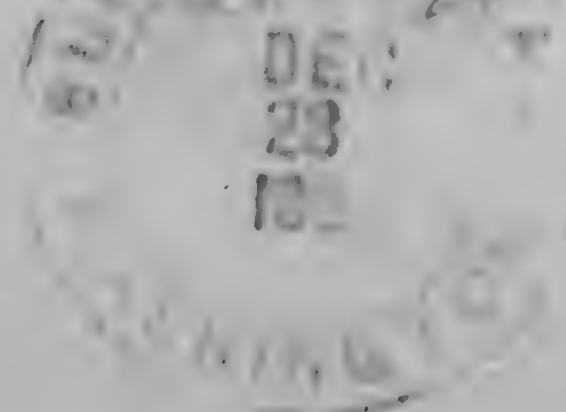
Dr. -
Kentucky

Wm. H. Smith, D. D.
U. S. Comm.

Reports that the S. C. of the State
has paid \$3,000 to the
S. C. of the State on the basis
of St. V. Markland at
Louisville, Ky. for year 1863, and
forwards for approval of
Com. vouchers of Messrs
W. H. Smith, J. H. Smith, George
Adams for the same.

(6 Enclosures)

Dr. H. 23. Vol 1. 1769



Wm. H. Smith

Bureau of the U. S. A.

Washington, D. C.

Respectfully submitted to

Wm. H. Smith, D. D.

U. S. Comm.

By order of

Wm. H. Smith, D. D.

U. S. Comm.

Wm. H. Smith

U. S. Comm.

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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky.,

No. 23 - 1868

Dr. G. H. Heib & D. L. Crockett,

Washington D.C.

General:

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your communication of Nov 31st 68.
directing me to pay the taxes on A. S. Mahland's
property at Paducah &c. held under lease by the
Bureau. In reply I would respectfully state that
Dr. G. H. Heib, Sec. of the District Office at
Paducah, has paid \$81.⁹⁰ through Dr. G. H. Heib, Sec. of the
District Office at Paducah, being amount of taxes in full for 1868
and enclose herewith vouchers of D. L. Wilcox,
D. L. Wilcox and James Adams for the same
for the approval of the Commissioner.

Very Respectfully,
Yours Obedt Servt.

L. B. Ward
Dr. J. H. Keith to L. B.
Ass't Commr (tale of \$6)

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Lexington, Ky Dec 24. 68

Wale S. C.

Encloses report of visits
made in obedience to Special
Order No. 124, Ext 2, dated
A. C. O. Ky Nov 12. 1868

Wale S. C.

Wale S. C.

Wale S. C.

Recd A. C. O. Ky Jan 9/69

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands---Eastern District, Kentucky,
Chief Sub. Assistant Commissioner's Office,

Lexington, Ky., Dec 24th 1868

34 Col Ben P. Runkle

U.S.A. Chief of Staff--

Louisville Ky
Colonel

I have the honor to make
the following report of visits made to the following
named places in obedience to Special Order
No 124 Cyt M., dated Bureau R. F. and A. Lands,
Assistant Commissioner Office State of Ky.
November 12th 1868.

Nicholasville Jefferson Co Ky. Danville and
Parksville Boyle Co Ky. Stanford and Hustonville
Lincoln Co Ky. Liberty Casey Co Ky. Monticello Wayne
Co Ky. Somerset Pulaski Co Ky. Richmond Madison
Co Ky. and Irvine Estill Co Ky.

I found the school at Nicholasville in a
most flourishing condition, Miss E. Bell Mitchell
being a teacher of many years experience has
attracted a large number of pupils to her school
-- so large that she greatly desired me to furnish
her with an assistant teacher which I promised to
do if possible at the same time urging her to now
over,

so far as practicable some of her more advanced pupils as assistants believing it would be of advantage to both teacher and pupils.

All the colored people of the place seem to be thoroughly united in her efforts for the education of their children and I regard this school as one of the most successful schools in this district.

I regret to state that at the time of my visit but one school was in successful operation at Danville but the prospective removal of one of the colored churches of the place and the burning of another during the past year seemed to warrant such a condition of affairs. I however held an educational meeting at which time it was decided that such temporary arrangements for a school building could be made as that a second school could be opened and agreeably to this understanding I have since applied for a teacher who if not already, will soon be on the ground to open school.

At that meeting also steps were taken in the direction of a permanent school building at no distant day. A school lot was bargained for, and as soon as funds can be raised for complete payment therefor I hope to forward an application for such assistance as seems to be required for the success of this project.

and I would most respectfully recommend that when received any sum named for this enterprise be granted if consistent with expenditures in other portions of the state as this is an important place and a convenient school building is very greatly needed.

I found no building for school purposes at Parkersville but the people already awake to their true interests had secured a lot, purchased lumber and had arranged to have a general gathering of the Freedmen of Parkersville and vicinity on the week following my visit for the purpose of erecting their church and school building - each one preferring to contribute a few days labor on the building rather than attempt to collect any sum of money to pay carpenters bill. I urged them to go forward with the work as rapidly as possible assuring them that a teacher would be sent there without delay.

At Hustonville I also found no school house, but after consultation with the leading freedmen of the place I succeeded in finding a room in a private dwelling which would answer the purpose and secured for them the services of Miss Hannah Cowley of Danville as teacher, who, though not wholly competent for the place I decided was the best that could be done under the circumstances and until such time

as a better teacher could be furnished there.

At Liberty, a school was in pretty successful operation, taught by Mr Chas Higgins, assisted by Miss Johnson. I have however since learned - though not reliably - that it has closed for causes not yet reported. At the time of my visit no school was in progress at Monticello although there were large numbers of children and one was greatly needed.

To meet this demand on my return I requested Mr A. B. Braine, a white applicant of this city - for situation as teacher, to go to Somerset Ky. and take charge of the school taught at that place for some time past by Mr Wesley Cover and thus allow the latter to proceed to Monticello and open the proposed school there.

This arrangement was made for the reason that it was deemed unsafe for a white man to undertake a colored school at Monticello.

Two schools were in successful operation at Somerset viz, one at a place called Sinker, a short distance from the town, taught by Mr Joseph Wait, the other in the village, taught by Mr Cover as above referred to. The latter by far the best school as being taught by a better qualified teacher.

No school was in session at Stanford at the

time of my visit.

The people of the place however have a comfortable school building which though not as suitably located as might be desired answers very well the purpose, and since my return I have, by the consolidation of schools at Hatten Landing and Oil Works been able to retire Miss Hudson, teacher at the latter place, and thus open the school at Stamford during the present month.

Although arrangements of long standing had been made for the opening of the school at Richmond, yet at the time of my visit Mr Lewis Leach who had been assigned the school at that place had not arrived and the school was not therefore in session.

He however came on the ground within a few days afterward and now has a promising school in operation, uniting all the people of the place in the undertaking and his pupils making good progress.

At Irvine I found a less hopeful state of affairs. Though many of the people of the place seemed to take a lively interest in the education of colored children and it was believed there were a sufficient number to make up a small school, I was wholly unable during the entire day spent there to secure any sort of

a building that would answer the purpose of a school-room. The building used by the colored people on the Sabbath as a church being used during the week as a school-house for white children.

I however succeeded in securing the services of Mr Wm J. Hal, to open a school at Wisemanstown, a place about two miles from Linn, where, some of the children of the latter place, at least, may share school privileges although it necessitates a lengthy walk in the winter season.

In conclusion I would add that I also visited Milledgville Lincoln Co. South Summerville Byler Co and Gays Corner Madison Co, completing the organization of the school Milledgville and making such arrangements as that schools will be opened at the other two places as soon as teachers can be secured.

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

S. L. Hale

Superintendent East Dist Ky.

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Washington D.C.
Jan'y 7. 1869

Howard Maj Gen U.S.
by Chief D.O.
Encloses Check #
564, on U.S. Dep at
Louisville for \$200
to pay Frank Burt
as per Vouchers
enclosed

Recd by Ballou
Jan 10/69

Recd Asst. C. K. Jan 10-1869

WAR 685

War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C. Jan 7, 1868

Cat Bony. P. Runkle S.S.
Louisville Ky.

for:

I send you my
check #564 on U.S. Secretaries at
Louisville Ky for \$200⁰⁰ for pay
Frank Burt as per vouchers enclosed.

Very Resp'y
Geo. W. Fullen
Bvt Bony J. Murchison

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Washington D.C.
January 6, 1869

Howard Maj Gen O.O.

By Th. P. Drew

Ack receipt of
papers in the claim
for bounty of
Major Jones D. 122. C.S.
Reuben Stillman D. 12. H.A.
Charles Harris a 123. C.S.
forwarded by Col
Cattin

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 10-1869

War Department,
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,
CLAIM DIVISION.

Washington, Jan 6th, 1869.

Wm. C. C. Patton,
Chief S. A. C. Emma &
Cob Louisville, Ky.

I am directed by Major-General C. C. Howard, Com-
missioner, to acknowledge the receipt this day of papers in the claim
for *Emma &* in the case
of the following-named *discharged* soldiers:

| | |
|-----------------|------------------------------|
| Major Jones | D Co. 122, Regt. U. S. C. I. |
| Reuben Williams | " " 12 " " " " " " " " " " |
| Charles Harris | A " 123 " " " " " " " " " |

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

William C. C. Patton,
Agent, & Chief of Division

Wm. C. C. Patton

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Washington D. C.
Jan'y 7, 1869

Howard Maj Gen &c
By G. W. Balloch

Acknowledges receipt
of Col Runkles letter
of the 4th inst. trans-
mitting list of
unpaid claims in
his profession on
Jan'y 1. 69 —

Says his object
was to compare books

Directs Col Runkle
to resume payments
as usual —

Recd A. S. A. H. Jan 10 1869

War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C., *Sept 7th*, 1868

Col. Benj. C. Runkle A.S.
Louisville, Ky.

Sir:

Your communication
of the 4th inst. transmitting a list of unpaid
cases on hand to Jan'y 1. 1869 is received.

My object was simply to compare the
book of this office with yours.

You will resume payments as usual,

Very Respy,
Geo. W. Feltch
Br Wm. J. Church

Bureau R. I. 45 H. L.
West Arm Office State Ky
Louisville Ky. Aug 21. 69

Respectfully referred to
Chapman J. K. Noble, Supr
of Education. who will com-
municate with Mr. Hudson
By order of Col. R. P. Rankin

Levi L. Bennett
Superintendent

Stanford Ky Dec 26th 1870
Mrs. C. C. Hale Supt of School's
Eastern District Lexington Ky
Dear Friend

I received your
favor of Dec the 18th and was
unable to answer until the
present time. You requested
me to have Mr. David Green
to sign the voucher. He cannot
write himself so did as you
requested me I have been very
much discouraged within the
last two or three days for the
building that they occupy

now the trustees thought that they
could be compelled to give up
the building. I do not know
the matter yet and I hope
it will be settled soon. I
suppose, if there is any
thing, more or any difficulty
about it I suppose I shall have
to report it to Louisville shall
I not if I am compelled to give
up the building I shall be
very much troubled and will
not know how to proceed in
without some information
in regard to this matter I
shall mail my report to day
my school is quite small at
present but should I be com-
pel to open again at the
close of the holidays it will
be very large; I enclose the
Vouchers with this letter.

Mr. Harris please favor me
with an answer as soon
as practicable for I should
feel altogether satisfied to pre-
sent for everything here is not
certain. If only you
Isabella Anderson

N. H. 1001 1864

Tallmadge Ohio
Jan'y 8, 1869

Hale & Co,

Writes to Colonel
Johnston enclosing
certain papers
left in Lexington
office —

Recd. A. S. O. Ky Jan 11-1869

Fallowfield A

Jan 8th 1868

My dear Col. Coul

I enclose herewith certain papers for your information and of course such action as you deem best,

Several of them handed to me by Colonel Price were not acted upon on account of changes to be made in the Bureau on the 1st of January.

These are simply letters from some of the stations in our district and came to hand just as I was leaving Lexington when I had no time to reply.

I would call special attention to the document of John Cottonwood of Winchester asking an instrument called for before any money could be appropriated for the construction of the Academy School House at that place.

Trusting to hear from you.

Very truly yours
J. C. Hale

Washington D.C.
Jan'y 11, 1869

Howard Maj Gen O.O.
By Chief S.O.
Forwarded Official
Copy of letter from
War Dept. Stating
that the "Daily Post"
of Detroit Mich. is
authorized to insert
advertisements of
the War Dept. =

Recd A. L. O. K Jan 11-1869

War Department

Washington City,

December 21st, 1868.

General.

I am instructed to inform you that the "Daily Post" a newspaper published at Detroit, Michigan, has been placed on the list of newspapers authorized to publish advertisements of the War Department.

You will please give notice of same, to Officers acting under orders from your Bureau.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt.

(Signed.)

John Potts

Chief Clerk.

Official copy respectfully furnished Lt Col B. P. Runkle D. C.
Louisville Ky, for his information.

Ces. Mallock

1st Brig Genl and A. S. C.

Bureau N. S. and A. S.

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Washington D.C.
Jan'y 1. 1869

Howard Maj Gen 00
By Chief S. O.
Forwarding official
Copy of letter from
War Dept. designa-
ting certain papers
for the Public adver-
tising

Recd A. B. C. K. Jan 11/69

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War Department
Washington City

December 21. 1868.

General.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives has designated the following named newspapers for the public advertising in the states named;

In Alabama, the "State Journal" of Montgomery vice the "Advocate", of Huntsville.

In Louisiana, the "Intelligencer" of Monroe, vice the "Homer Head", and the "Red River News", of Natchitoches vice the "Advocate" of New Orleans.

In Mississippi, the "Pilot" of Jackson vice the "Chronicle" of Meridian.

You will please give notice of the same, to Officers acting under orders from your Bureau.

By order of the Secretary of War.

(Sgd) John Potts.

Chief Clerk.

Official copy respectfully furnished (at D. P. Smith's D. C. Commission, by public request).

Wm. M. Fallowell

Beaumont, La. C. D. C.

Dec. 21. 1868.

423 del 1 1869

Louisville Ky
Jan'y 12. 69

Hall Wm
Lake Pk "E" 23. CA
ack receipt of
his Discharge

Louisville 15
Jan 12 - 1869.

Received my Discharge
and notice from the
2d Auditor that my
claim had been disallowed.

Wm ^{ls} Hall
mail
Lake Pk Co & 20 Allen St

Witness
Geo L. Primm

Indanapols Ind
Jan'y 11. 1869
Respectfully Acknowledged and
received of what and
received attention
direct to communication
from 2d Auditor Office
Wm Hall

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 12/69

Indianapolis Ind
Jan 11th 1868

Respectfully returned with
discharge of white and
~~invitation~~ attention
called to communication
from 2^d auditors office

Chas. W. Smith
Att'y

Ch 43 Jul 1 1869

Journal by
Jenny 12.69

Hall Mm
Lake Michigan
Receipts of
his exchange

Aug 20 0 4 10 10

Donner 15
Jan 12-1869.

Received my exchange
and notice from the
2d Auditor that my
claim had been disallowed.

Mr. Hall
made a call on
late Oct 20 1869.

Witness
John D. Donner

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets.

Louisville, Ky., Jan 8 1869.

L. H. Hamlin & Co.,
Indianapolis Ind.

Has the claim on Hall Co \$ 28
also been allowed, if so, where is the
Treasury Certificate.

The lives on 54 Walnut are on Spring
in the City.

Please return this letter.

Yours,

Levi L. Dunnett

Or Capt Wm A. A. Se.

St. Louis, Mo.

Washington, D.C.
January 9, 69

Howard Maj Gen O.O.
By Chief S.O.
Returns letter
of Jan'y 5, 69 & says
the payment of
Geo Wood was wit-
nessed by J. J. Metz-
ger and Ben P. Runkle.

Respectfully returned
with the information
that the vouchers of
Geo Wood Co. 1234
etc, are witnessed
by J. J. Metzger &
Ben P. Runkle. —

Geo. H. Ballou
Postmaster & Co.
St. L.

Office ASD, 4
Jan'y 9/69 3

See letter to Genl
Ballou Jan'y 4/69
Recd A. L. O. by Jan'y 10/69



Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., January 5th 1869.

*Brig. Genl. Geo. W. Balloch
Chief Disbursing Officer
Washington D.C.*

General,

*I have the honor to request you to inform
me who witnessed the payment of George Wood late
Priv. Co "A" 123. U.S. Troops.*

*This information can be obtained by referring
to the Bounty Receipts of this man, which were forwarded
to you November 11th 1865.*

*Very respectfully
Your obt. Servt*

*Wm. R. Runkle
Brig. Colonel U.S. Army
Distig Officer State of Ky*

Sept. 12

N 148. Oct 1. 1869

Washington Feb 2, 1869

Amard O. C. Mas. Line
by Chief D.O.

Says there was no
man by the name of
George Woods in Co
I 123 U.S.C.

Recd A. B. O. Ky Feb 5-1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Aban. Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF DISPENSING OFFICER,

Washington,

Feb 2^d 1869.

Respectfully

inform to Col. B. S. D.
P. Quirk, attention invited
to endorsement of the 2^d
Audt. - from which it ap-
pears that there was no
man by the name of Geo Woods
in "I" Co, 123^d U.S.C.

Bvt. Brig.-Gen. and Chief D.O.,

Bureau R., F., and A.L.

~~not the same
two different men
by same name~~

Bvt. Brig.-Gen. and Chief D.O.,

Bureau R., F. and A.L.

The claim of Geo Woods Co I 123^d U.S.C.,
is not on file in this office, nor does
his name appear upon the muster
and pay rolls of said company.

2^d Auditor

Feb 1/69

1869

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N 148. Oct 1. 1869

Washington Feb 2. 69

Howard O. C. May Gene
by Chief D.O.

Says there was no
man by the name of
George Woods in Co
I 123 U.S.C.

Recd A. G. O. Ky Feb 5-1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Aban. Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER,

Washington,

Jan 30 1869.

Respectfully

returned to the
Hon. E. J. French
with the information
that Capt No. 114, H. 15
was issued in favor
of Geo. Wood of Co. A
123^d U.S.C. - not
to Geo. Wood of Co. I.
as is shown by
his "Draw Letter" of
July 2^d 1868.

not the same
two different men
by same name
Geo. W. French

Bvt. Brig.-Gen. and Chief D.O.,

Bureau R. F. and A. I.

The claim of Geo. Wood of Co. 123^d U.S.C.,
is not on file in this office, nor does
his name appear upon the muster
and pay rolls of said company.

2^d And. Officer

July 1/69

1869

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St 148. Nov 1. 1869

Washington Dec 2 69

General W. M. Smith

My dear Sir,

Days there was no
more by the name of
George Howard in Co
123 n foot

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Aban. Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF DISTURBING OFFICER,

Washington, July 2^d 1869.

Respectfully

James H. Bell

I enclose, with this minute

and statement of the 2^d

and from which it appears

that there was no

man by the name of

in Co 123 n foot

Bot. Brig.-Gen. and Chief D.O.,

Bureau R., F., and A. T.

Wm. M. Smith

not the same

your office

of the

Wm. M. Smith

Bot. Brig.-Gen. and Chief D.O.,

Bureau R., F. and A. T.

Recd A. S. N. 147
Dec 5-1869

The claim of Gen Hood Co S. 123^d A. S. C. T.
is not on file in this office, nor does
his name appear upon the muster
and pay rolls of said company.

2^d and Officer
July 1/69
J. B. L.
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not in 19

War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C., *Jan 18*, 1869

How. C. B. Finch
2^d Asst. Pay. Dept.

Sir: I have the honor

to request that you inform me as to the con-
dition of the claim for 100 mtyre. of
Geo. Wood, late 2^d Lt I. C. 123^d regt. I.

Very respectfully
Yours Obedt Servant,
Geo. W. Fuller
100 mty. Am. Co.

Traber
May 14/68

~~Adm. No. 464, 413~~
~~Settled July 2/68 and Cert. for \$100. sent~~
~~to H. M. Carr, Louisville Ky~~

~~2^d Asst. Officer~~
~~Jan 29/69~~
~~*[Signature]*~~
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A. 123^d
Sept. 12/68

Ny 1001.1869

Washington Jan 18.69

Howard O. O. May Genl
by Chief Disb'g Officer

Returns S. Buckles
letter of Jan 14.69 with
the information that no
Certificate has been rec'd
for Geo Wood Co. D123 C1



Recd P. O. N.Y. Jan 21-1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Aban. Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER,

Washington,

Jan 18th 1869.

Respectfully returned with the
information that no
Certificate has been rec'd,
for Geo Wood of "I.C."
but inquiry has been made
of the 2^d Asst. Master of
his claims.

Wm. M. Bullard

Bvt. Brig.-Gen. and Chief D.O.,

Bureau R., F., and A.L.

RZ

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky., *Jan'y 14th 1869*

Brig Gen G. M. Balloch

Chief S. O. & Co

Washington D. C.

General;

I have the honor to inform you in reply to your endorsement of Jan'y 4th 1869, referring the letter of H. M. Carr of Dec 24th 1868, to this office in the case of George Wood late 123rd U. S. C. A. That I paid a man who was identified and sworn to by two witnesses as George Wood and until I know I am mistaken cannot pay this George Wood.

It seems however that there was another George Wood in the same Regiment (Co "I"), it may be that I paid him.

I will thoroughly in-

investigate the matter, And if I paid
the wrong man and cause his
money to be paid to the right
man.

Please inform me what is
the state of the claim of George
Hood Co "A" 123.6.5.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt



Bk Colonel W. A.

D. O. Kentucky

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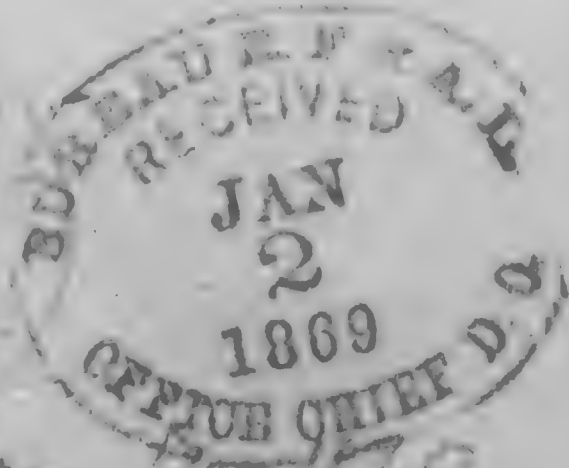
Washington Jan 4. 1869

Howard. O. O. Maj Genl
by Chief Disb'g Officer

Refers for report, letter of
of H. M. Carr dated Louis-
ville Ky Dec 24. 68 in re-
gard to the bounty claim
of Geo Woods "A" Co. 123
CA.
Says vouchers in this
case were sent Col Runkle
Oct 13. 68 + were received
back paid Nov 16. 1868

See letter to Gen 9th
Ballou Jan 11,
69

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 7 1869



Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Aban. Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER,

Washington,

Jan 4 1869.

Respectfully

Refers for report
1869. P. Runkle D.O.,
Louisville Ky. for re-
port. - Vouchers in
favor of Geo. Woods
O. C. 123 - ref. 4, with
funds due him
were sent you Oct. 13,
1868 - and were back
paid - Nov. 16/18. -

G. M. Ballou
Bvt. Brig.-Gen. and Chief D.O.,
Bureau R., F., and A.L.
B.B.

Louisville Kentucky
Dec. 24, 1868

Maj Genl. O. O. Howard
Commissioner of Bureau
R. F. and A. L.

Genl.

I made a
claim for \$100.⁰⁰ Bounty for George
Wood Private Co. A 123rd Regt U. S. C. T.
It was paid by Treasury Certificate
No. 464415 for \$100.⁰⁰ Said Certificate
was forwarded to the Claim Division
of the Bureau, Sept 2/68. I rec^d my fees
by Check 384 Sept 14/68 - Paid by Geo W Ballou
Breut. Brig. Genl & Chief D. O. Said Wood has
applied here for payment & the Disbursing
Officer informs him that some other George
Wood has been paid - I know this George
Wood to be the rightful claimant. He is
now waiting to know if he can be paid -
I write this for him - to know if he can be
paid. Very Respectfully, Your obt. servt.
W M Carr
attorney

Sept 14. 68
Sept 12. 1868

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Louisville Ky Dec 17 68

Wm A M

Requests to be informed
when money is paid Jerry
Myers Lat Pot Co. A 1087
as he made an advance of
\$500 to him

Says he also advanced
\$400 to George Wood Pot
Co A 123. used.

See letter to Genl
Ballou Jan 11 69

Recd A. L. O. Ky Dec 26-1868

Louisville Kentucky

Dec. 17th 1868

Col. Ben. P. Runkle.

Bureau R. F. and A. L.

Col.

I would be grateful to you if you would inform me, when the money is ready to be paid to Jerry Meyers, late Private Co. 36. 108 U.S. C. I. as I made an advance to him April 1/68 - I sent the Certificate on without claiming advances - because I thought they would not recognize them - the amount given him at that date was \$50.⁰⁰ The Certificate is No. 453332 for \$200.⁰⁰, sent to Genl. Howard, Oct 30/68 - I also gave George Wood, Private Co A. 123rd U.S. C. I. \$45.⁰⁰ August 3/68 - Certificate No. 464415, for \$100, sent to Genl Howard Sept 2/68 - These are all the advances I have made that I think of. Very Respectfully
Your obt. Servant W. M. Carr

At 26 Oct 1869

Washington D.C.
Jan 9. 69

Howard Maj Gen O.D.

By Chief D.O.

Says that on Nov
5- He sent the
Treasurer Jeff R.R.
Co. Vouchers for
Trans \$35.02 & check
for the same.

Says Vouchers
have not been
returned.

Asks Genl
Runkle to look
them up.

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 12-1869

Bureau R. F. & A. Lands
Assist Comrs Office, Ky
Louisville Jan 28. 68

Respectfully returned
to Br Brig Gen G. H.
Ballock Chief D.O.
Washington D.C.
with the information
that J. H. McCampbell
informs this office
that he has not
received the Vouch-
ers - Check on letter
if inquiry referred
to within -

~~Wm Runkle~~
Br Colonel Ufa
Enc 58
1869 D.O. Ky

War Department
Bureau Registers & Ledgers
Washington D.C. Feb 1st 69
Respectfully refer to Col.
Br R. Runkle D.O. with information
that the name within has
come to hand this morning from
Mr Campbell properly receipted.
Recd back
A. L. O. Ky
Feb 4/69
Gen. W. Hallack
Br Brig Gen ref 50

War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C. January 9, 1869.

Col Ben P. Runkle, S.O.
Louisville, Ky.

Colonel:

November 5th Ult. I forwarded to J. N. McCampbell, Treasurer "Jeffersonville R.R. Co" vouchers amtg to \$35.⁰²/₁₀₀ together with check for payment of the same, (in payment for transportation furnished this Department.) Mr. McCampbell has never returned vouchers. I wrote him December 9th Ult. to explain delay, and as he has failed to do so I request that you will ascertain what disposition has been made of the same.

Yours very respectfully
Geo W. Safford
Acting Sec. & Chf. S. O.

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Washington D.C.
Jan'y 11. 69

Howard Maj Gen O.O.
By Chief D.O.
Refers letter of Sarah
Martin inquiring
after her Bounty
Says Vouchers
were sent Dec 18. 68

I will be in Paducah
Ky again - on or about
the 25th of Feb. - Will
pay this Clara - if this
Clara is the one at
that time and can
be identified

RECEIVED
DEC 29
1868
OFFICE CHIEF D.O.
Paducah Ky
Jan 22 1869
Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 14 - 1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Aban. Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER,

Washington, Jan'y 11. 1869.

Respectfully Referred to Col BP
Runkle Louisville Ky
for his information.
Vouchers sent - Dec 18/68

By order of
Prot May Gen G M Jalloch
Chf D.O.

W A Standerlip
Prot May 'X Det. Brig. Gen. and Chief D.O.,
Bureau R., F., and A.L.

You will certainly
not ask a poor
distressed woman
to go to Paducah
to get her bounty,
Would be charitable,
to have her pay her
own way and
that of her wit-
nesses to get per.

If she has to take
those steps, I
shall advise her
to donate her bounty
to Bureau, not
asked for protection
of her?

Yours

W A Standerlip

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 30/69

Rockport Ma Dec 19th 68

Gen A O Howard

My attorney C L Hedding
sent you recd. but to 489.344 for
\$114.93 first of Oct. I am grati-
fy making the money. If you
~~sent~~ would send it to me in
check as soon as convenient
you would do me great
favor.

Hoping to receive check
soon

I Remain
Yours truly
Mabel L. Larrick

attest
C L Hedding Sarah + Morton
S. V. Crookes. Mark

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Millersburg Ky
Jan'y 13, 69

Henson J. A.
Teacher

Writes in refer-
ence to his school
& desires his pay
at an early day.

Recd A. B. O. Ky Jan 14-1869

Millersburg Jan 13th
Mr Bumble

Honored Sir I send
you these blanks now because
there was a mistake made when
I sent them to Mr. Hale at Lexington

Mr Hale requested me
to send our first reports and
all others to you but he said our
first blanks should be sent
to him and then all others to you

He signed the blanks
wrong he sent them back and told
us then to send them to you after
we had signed them right.

Sir I hope you will see
to them and answer them as
promptly as you can as we are
in sadly in need of a little where
with about now. I shall look
for a reply by Saturday

I wish you would please
inform me what these
different kinds of clanks
are for are they the same or not

I suppose you know
that these clanks belong with
the reports I sent to you about
a 3 weeks ago. The leather
is getting very scarce on my feet
now and know 3 or 4 in deep
and waiting patiently for relief
Please don't think

I wish to hurry you but facts
are facts hoping to hear from
you soon I remain Dear Sir
with my great respect

Your most obedient servant

J. H. Henson

Recher Freedman's School Millington Tenn

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Bullitt Co Ky
Jan'y 13. 69

Harrison John Q

Notes in relation
to the worth of one
of a colored boy
Dan - Employed
by his Neighbor Mr
Johnson -

Recd A. H. O. Ky Jan 14-1869.

Bullitt 6^o Jan 13 '69

Gen F Burnett

Sir:

I write by re-
quest of Mr H H Johnston in-
reference to the claim of Col
boy Dabiel

Of the original hiring I know
nothing, but do know that
Mr Johnston, some time, perhaps
two or three weeks after Dabiel
was engaged, notified him
that he could not keep him
any longer at the terms he had
engaged him, but would pay
him, if he continued to work,
the amt that his work might
be worth. Dabiel is very idle
& would not be worth any
operation more than his food

I would not have him on
 my farm on any terms & I feel
 justified in saying that Mr
 Johnston would not have kept
 him if he had been at home
 or could have done better

Mr Johnston is my nearest
 neighbour & I had daily proof
 of Dan's value worth his life

With much respect
 Mrs. Garrison

I know Mr Wm O'Harrison
and will say that he is a gentleman
of veracity A J Ballard

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Lexington Ky
Jan'y 12. 69

Hamilton J. G.

Writes in reference
to grading the Lex
ington Schools &c
&c —

Mapper. See 1482 (Enclt.)

Rec'd A. C. C. Ky Jan 15. 69

MS. A. 9. 1. 1869

Lexington Ky
Jan'y 12, 69
Hamilton J. G.

Enclosed
Receipts for Checks
sent in his care -
And writes in refer-
ence to Lexington
Schools -

an Act

Recd A. S. S. Ky Jan 12-1869

MAR 26

Livingston, Ky,

Jan 12th /69.

Bot Col' Gen P. Runkley
Louisville Ky
Col'

I enclose Receipts
of checks sent in my care, except
one to S. C. Hale, which I will forward
to him at East Cleveland.

The schools are filling up well
and the teachers would be grati-
fied to have you make an
official visit.

Col' Johnson spoke to me about
taking charge of all the schools;
if this arrangement coincides with
your judgment, please send me word
as I wish to grade all the schools.
Be kind enough to ~~inform~~ ^{inform}

the Clerk who sends the checks, that
J. G. Hamilton is not a
Colored man and oblige.

Your Obedient Servant
J. G. Hamilton,
Supt of ^{Spring} Schools

Sp 89 Dec 1. 1869

Washington D.C.
Jan'y 12. 69

Howard Maj Gen O.O.
By Chief D.O.

Enclosed Check #570
on U.S. Dep at Louis-
ville for \$1,454, $\frac{45}{100}$
to pay Claimants
as per Enclosed
Vouchers -

Rec'ds sent to Ballou et
Jan 15/69,

Rec'd A. C. O. Ky Jan 15/69

War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C., *Jan 17*, 186*6*

*Col 1000 G. Rusk & Co
Louisville Ky.*

Sir:

Enclosed I send you
my check # 570 on W. S. Deposition at Louisville
Ky for \$1,454.⁴⁵/₁₀₀ to pay the following claimants
as per vouchers enclosed.

| | | |
|---|-------------------|----------|
| ✓ | Matilda Parrish | \$341.03 |
| ✓ | John Smith | 283.30 |
| ✓ | Henry Fry | 116.50 |
| ✓ | Henrietta Bennett | 154.79 |
| ✓ | Stephen Lamborn | 100.01 |
| ✓ | Emeline Owen | 127.07 |
| ✓ | John Porter | 100 |
| ✓ | Andrew Banks | 80.25 |

Total \$1,454.45

*Very truly
Yrs. W. Ballach*

Wm. Gen. 150

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Morganfield. Union Co.
Ky - Dec. 8th 1868.

Hall, John P
Attorney, &c.

Forwards 2^d Auditor's Cert.
No: 500.895, for Seely widow of
Gilbert Willett, dec^d Pot. F.
6th U.S. Cav. Claims no fees.
States Certs Nos: 485.872 - 471.347 -
462.307 and 471.414, forwarded
in Oct. last, have not yet
been paid, causing hardships
among the claimants.

Certs sent C.D. T. Dec. 17 '68

Received C.D., Bu. R., F., & A.L., Dec. 15th 1868.

Act. Dec 16th 1868.

War Department,

Bureau R. F. & A. L.,

Claim Division,

Washington, Dec. 17. 1868.

Respectfully referred to Col.
Brig. Genl George W. Balloch
Chief S. O. Bureau R. F. & A. L.

William R. Dew,

Agent Bu R. F. & A. L.
Chief of Claim Division



Letter of Commendation
 - Seilz Willst
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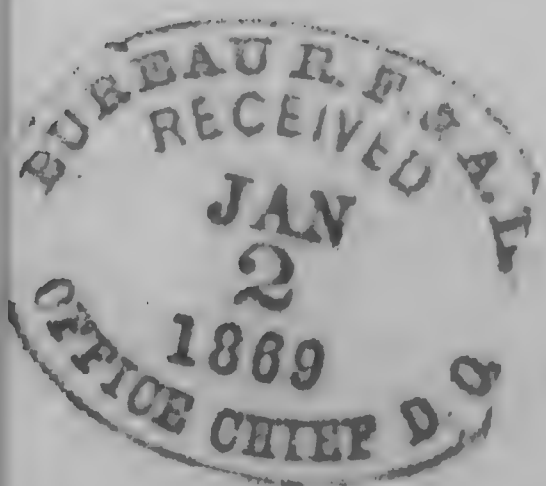
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C. S. O. June 11, 1869



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C.D.O June 11. 1868

Friend Henry

Dec. 21st 1868

Committee Bennett

My dear

Your letter of 17th inst.
is before me. I have only to say that
the Certificate for Committee Bennett, with
- and Henry Bennett, of Co. B. 114th for \$169.79
came to me in March last, and was
immediately sent to Gen. Howard, at
Washington. ^{It} I had reply in April, I
received the Check for my fee of \$10 -
from Maj. Gen. Howard. I cannot say
when Gen. Howard would send the
Certificate to Col. Johnston. But if
I should venture a guess upon the
subject, I should say he would be
likely to send it as soon as he sent
my fee upon it to me. I cannot
say, however that this would certainly
be the case. If your money has not
been yet paid. There must be some man-
- nage of the papers or other facts -
you might send this letter to Gen. Howard
together with one of your own stating
the delay and that you have been after
to Col. Johnston and can hear nothing of
your money. My Respectfully H. Randolph & Co.

LEXINGTON KY DEC-28th

Maj Genl Howard

Sir I wrote to Capt -
Randolph to see about my
Sons - Bounty he is dead and
the first time I wrote to him
he said in his letter that
it would be sent to Col
Johnson at the Freedmans
Bureau in this City & Col
Johnson told me it was all
Right when I showed him
the letter & he would let me
know when it come he
taken my name & my sons
name & all the particulars
that has been ever since
last Spring & I went to
see him again about 15th
of Dec - & Col Johnson said

to me there was no Bounty
for me nor would not be
for no body till after Christ's
mas - so I wrote to Captain
Randolph again he answered
my letter so I will Enclose
it & send it to you please
write to me Annmediately
& let me know what to
depend on as I am an old
woman & have nothing to
take care of myself with
& stand in need of the
money at this time my
son has been dead two
years ago this October past

Nothing more your
humble dot

Henriette Bennett
when you write to me please
direct to me in this manner
Mrs Sarah Pettit

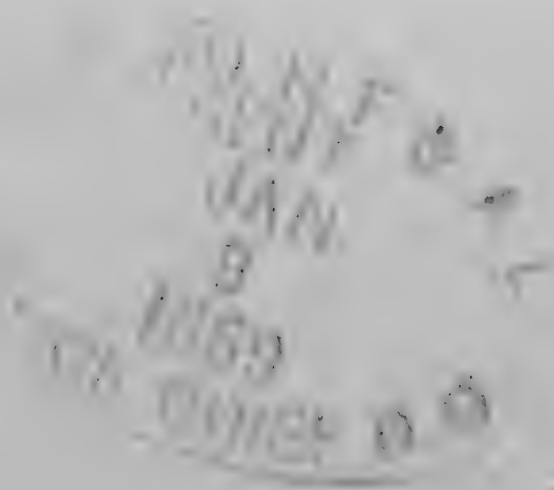
I will be sure to get
it please do write to
me at the earliest period
Henriette Bennett
you need not put my
name on the outside of
the letter

C. S. O June 11th 1868
Dear

GOVERNMENT
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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Louisville, Ky.,

Dec 19th " 1868

William P. Snow Esq.
In Charge of Claim Division,
Washington D. C.

Sir;

I have the honor to request information concerning the present state of the claims of Henry Fry late Musician Co "G" 15th U.S. & Troopers whose claim was prepared by Lieutenant Cook about two years since at Nashville Tenn.

Very Respectfully

Yours Obedt Servt

J. Burdett

Pl. Brig Genl USA
Assist Comr Kentucky

Sent to C. B. C.
Oct. 21. 1867

Delivered

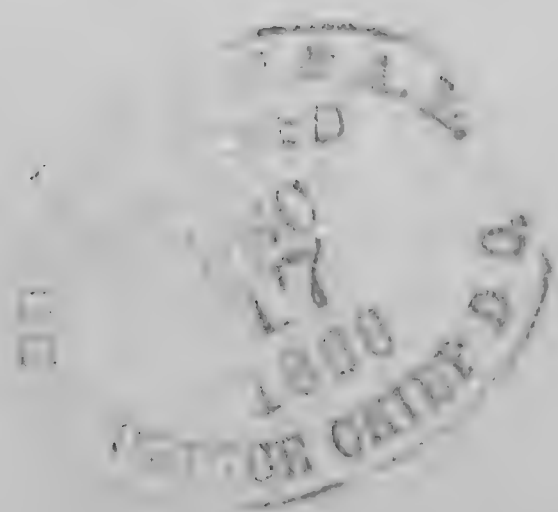
Henry Fry - lives
2 1/2 miles from Louisville
on the Cave Run Road

MAH 743
Lebanon Ky Dec 12th/568

Maj^r Genl O. O. Howard,
Sir
My husband prosecuted a claim
(which was allowed) for me
Stephen Cambren, I sent my
fees on in duplicate to be filled
according to law & I send you
enclosed with this the docu-
=ment received instead of check
for the amount due me, all I
wish are fees allowed. I could
have found by calling on agents
the amount due me but trusted
as I did before to the integrity
of your subordinates, I now as a
lone widow appeal to you. I
authorised you to fill up the

blank that I sent according
 to law & I will be satisfied.
 Respectfully yours &c
 Mary E Woods.

COO
 Dec 17



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Caoe City Ky Dec 17¹⁸⁶⁸
 My Dear Mr Howard
 Washington D.C.

Dear Sir
 You will please be kind enough
 to inform me what has been done
 with my claim I filed a claim
 Some two years since as Mother of
 George W Parrish Deceased Private
 Co K, 108 U.S. Col Troops it was
 settled on the 28th day of May 1868
 for \$352.⁸³ and the Certificate
 delivered to Bylow Ellis & Co of
 Washington D.C. Since which
 time I have been unable to hear
 from it from any source
 Will you be kind enough to inform
 me if it has ever been delivered to
 you and if so please send me a
 check or the money by Express
 to Caoe City Ky as I live near this
 place

100 743

Please give this your Immediate
attention as I am old and very
needy the times being very
hard.

I am Respectfully
your Obedt Servt
Makda Porrick

Cent to C50 }
July 21. 1868 }

Dear



BUNDO

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SAMUEL V. NILES,
ATTORNEY FOR CLAIMANTS,
No. 262 I Street,
(Between 17th and 18th Streets,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Washington,

December 21st 1868,
Maj. Genl O. O. Howara,
Chief of Bureau R. & A. Lands,

Sir:

I have been re-
quested to ask that the bounty
money due Andrew Banks, late
private Co. I, 11th Regt U.S. Col'd
Artillery, may be made payable
at Paducah, Ky.

On the 24th ult, I
filed in your office the certi-
ficate of this soldier No. 501,187,
for \$100.

Very Respectfully,
Samuel V. Niles

3/289

Dec. 9

Cert to Cash }
No 3 1868 }

Louisville Jan 2nd 1869

Genl O. O. Howard
Supt B. R. F. & A. L.
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir

I desire
information regarding my
certificate No 485 861 for
\$150.07 sent you Oct 3rd 1868
My Atty says the money
has been sent to the Bureau
here: but the officer in
command says not.

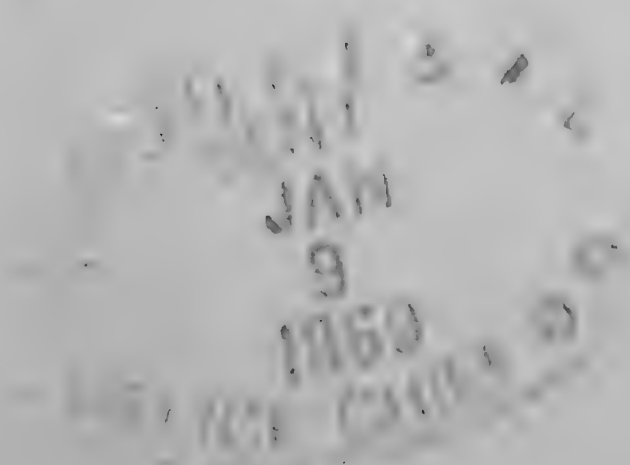
Any information regarding
the claim will be thankfully
recd by

Yours obliged servt

Emeline Crane

Mother of David Beard

Care Geo. V. Gandy No 4. Centre St



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Washington D.C.
Jan'y 11. 69

Howard Maj Gen O.O.
By W. P. Drew

Says the following
claims are allowed
and the amounts set
opposite their names
are in the hands
of the Chief D.O.

| | |
|------------------|----------|
| James Dyke | \$302.55 |
| Abe Fields | 100. |
| Abraham Hunter | 100. |
| Lucius Remington | 100. |

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 15 - 1869

War Department,
BUREAU OF REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
CLAIM DIVISION,

Washington, D. C., January 11th, 1867.

Col. Brig. Gen. John T. Hunter, U. S. A.,

Assistant Commissioner.

Bureau B. R. & A. L. Fund

Louisville, Ky.

General:

are directed to inform you that the
sums for bounty, arrears of pay, &c. of the following
named men are attached, and the amounts set
opposite their respective names in the hands of
the Chief Disbursing Officer of this Bureau for
remittance to them.

- ✓ James Dyer, 1st Lieut. Co. H. 46th U. S. I. \$ 302.55
- ✓ John Wells, Capt. - 100th - 100.00
- ✓ Abram Hunter, Pvt. - - - 100.00
- ✓ Lewis Remington, " C 110th - 100.00

(Copy)

The claims were forwarded by Gen. H. C. C.
Johnston U. S. A., Chief Sub-Commissioner of the
Bureau at Lexington, Ky.

Following is a transcript from records of this
Office, showing the Post office addresses of claimants:
James E. G. "Georgetown, Ky."; Abner Hilds and
Abram Hunter "Versailles, Ky."; Lucius Remington,
"Cynthiana, Ky."

and, General

very respectfully

your obedient servant

Wm. H. C. C.
Agent Bureau U. S. A. S. S.
Chief of Claim Division

#65 rec 1 1869

Washington D.C.
January 13. '91

Howard Maj Gen OO
By Chief D.O.

Encloses Check #372
on U.S. Dep at Louis-
ville for \$913.²⁴
to pay Bounty due
5 Claimants as per
Vouchers Enclosed

Receipt sent to National
Jan 14/91

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 16-1891

War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C., *July 13*, 186*9*

Col Bay A. Brewster Lt.
Louisville Ky.

Enclosed I send you
my check for \$913.²⁴100 to pay bounty
due the following claimants as per vouchers enclosed

| | |
|------------------|----------|
| ✓ Edward Rude | \$90.00 |
| ✓ Edward L. L. | 98.63 |
| ✓ Hesteriah Lali | 185.00 |
| ✓ Lally Harris | 200.00 |
| ✓ Moses Fleming | 339.61 |
| Total. | \$913.24 |

Very truly
Geo. W. Allen
Actg. Secy

SENT 9-4
JAN
12
1869
POLICE CHIEF

Lowell, Mass. Jan 7 1864.

Gen. Geo. W. Ballou,
Washington D.C.
Genl.

Will you please send my
kind regards to our dear old "Providence Bureau" and
Mrs. Cady. I am very anxious to go to my family
in New Orleans but can't go on account of I
not having money and am here in a pinner's. I un-
derstand our dear has been allowed.

I am Dear

Your Obedt. Sonnet

Wm. A. ^{John} Hall

July 31/67 Lib. C. G. 108 Sept. 10, 67

Wm. A. ^{John} Hall
Wm. A. ^{John} Hall

Jan 11/69
 To the Hon. Sec. of State
 Found on

BUREAU R. F. & A.
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Massachusetts

May 7/69

Mr

On the 5th of Oct 1868 I sent to you by express
to 4 West. St. a pair of Edward
Gray for \$1100.00. Enclosed I sent of pay of
\$1000.00 for "H" 1200th U.S.A.

The claimant writes me complaining that
he has not yet heard anything from his money.

The 1st Officer address of said
claimant, - John Gray - is Murphreeville Mass
No Ky. for Robert Thomson Esq

Will you please see that this matter is
attended to

Very Respectfully

Yours &c

J. M. Doe
Att'y

Wm. H. Brown Esq

40 (V. 100) 20

MAR 7 1869

Respectfully forwarded
To Freedmen's Bureau

The name of the Soldier was
Edmund Fleming - was a Private of Co. C.
125th U.S.C.T. - Certificate No 471.662
for \$350⁰⁰ sent to your Bureau Aug. 12. 68.

Please send blanks for required
Vouchers to the writer of the within letter
Jan 7/69.

Tucker & Sells.

C.D.D.
Aug 17

Done

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FREDERICKSBURG VA

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WARR 157
Omusboro Dec 21st 1868

Mess Dicker & Sells
Washington DC

Dear Sir

Dear

Sonnetter, last

Summer you wrote me that a Claim in
favor of Maria Fleming the wife or rather
widow of a Colored Soldier had been allowed
and would be paid over to her by the Bureau

A few days since she called on me
concerning the matter, and informed me that
she had never heard from the matter, and
having been an old family servant persuaded
me to again take the matter in hand, and
as she has received neither her money, nor a noti-
fication that her Claim has been allowed, I feel
authorized to conclude that without the interposition of
some one, having some knowledge of these matters
she will likely never get her money, I have conclu-
ded to enquire into it. Will you write to me
on the subject

Yours Respectfully
W. S. Owen

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BUREAU OF
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12
1862
OFFICE CL

Evansville Ind
Jan. 4/69

To Genl. O. O. Howard

Sir: my attorney
W. Reavis of Evansville
Ind. informs me that
a Cert. for \$100 was allowed
me, and that he sent it to
your office with instructions
that my portion \$90 would
be sent to me, at Union
Town, Union Co. Ky.

I have never rec'd my
money. Please have it
sent me at Union Town
Ky soon & oblige

Attest

W. Reavis

W. L. Reavis

Respectfully &c

Edward ^{his} Rudy
mark

Late Corp. Co. "C."

118th Regt. U.S. I.

C. D. U.
Sept 10. 1869

Evansville Ind
Jan. 4/68

Gen. O. O. Howard

Sir. I hope you will
comply with the enclosed
request as the boy needs his money
Respy W. Reavis

your office with instructions
that my portion \$90 would
be sent to me, at Union
Town, Union Co. Ky.

I have never recd my
money. Please have it
sent me at Union Town
Ky soon & oblige

Attest
W. Reavis
W. L. Reavis

Respectfully &c
Edward ^{his} Rudy
mark

Late Corp. Co. 'C.'
118th U.S.C. I.

C. D. O.
Sept 10. 1868

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War Department

Bureau R. F. L. H. L. S.

Office Chief Disbursing Officer
Washington D. C., July 30 1868

Bullock's Port Brig. Genl.
Chief Disb. Officer.

Has received from the
Agent of the U. S. Sanitary
Commission, Treas. Certificate
462, 309, issued in favor of
Emily Harris, late C. G.
8th U. S. A., with the statement
that Harris is dead, and that
his widow can be reached through
A. Hensley, Esq. at Frankfurt,
Ky.

A. Hensley Esq.
Frankfurt Ky

Recd A. G. O. Ky Aug 2 - 1868

Bureau R. F. L. H. L. S.
Asst. Comm. Office State Ky
Louisville Aug 4. 1868.

Respectfully referred to
Bt Lieut Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Sub Asst Comr (C)

Lexington Ky who will
cause an application to
be made for the widow
of the within named man
for the amount due her.

This letter to be returned
to this Office with applica-
tion.

By order of
Bt Brig Genl S. Barbauld

Bill R. R.

Bt Colonel W. A.

Chief of Staff

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Recd Esaco Aug 15 - 68

War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER,

Washington, D. C.,

July 30 1868

Col. J. P. Hensley, D.D.,
Louisiana Ref.

Sir:

I have this day
recd. from the Asst. U.S. Sec. Gen. Treas.
Cert No. 462,309 issued in favor of Bailey
Harris, late Co. G, 8th U.S. Col., with
the statement that Harris is dead,
& that his widow can be reached
through A. Hensley Esq. at New York
City.

Very respectfully

Yours for the South

Geo. M. J. J. J.
1st Lt. Col. Gen. &
Chief D.D.
P. S.

Bureau of the A. S. Land
Chief Sub. Asst. Comm. Office
Lexington Ky Dec 22. 1868

Respectfully returned to
Mr Col Ben J. Dunkley
Louisville Ky. Attention
invited to enclosed
affidavits

R. J. Henderson
Affidavit Col Dunkley
Chief Sub. Asst. Comm

Recd back A. S. L. O. Ky Dec 17/68

Bureau of the A. S. Land
Asst. Comm. Office State Ky
Louisville Ky Dec 23 1868

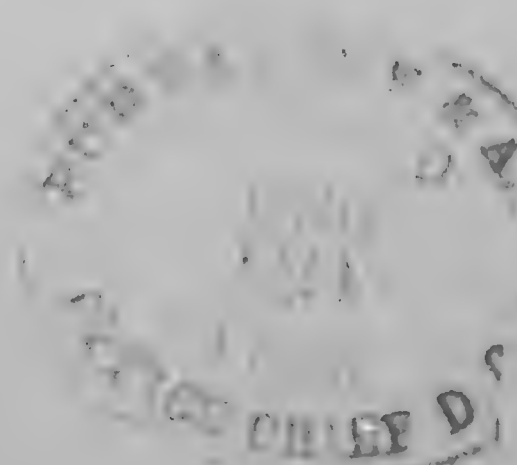
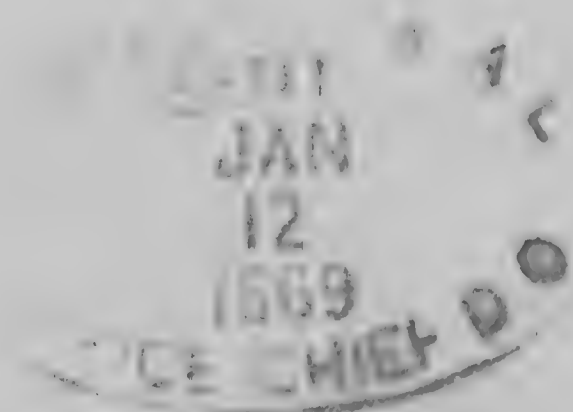
Respectfully forwarded to
Post Eng. Gen. Geo. W. Dulles
Chief Prob. Officer Washington D.C.

Ben J. Dunkley
E B 23, Post Eng. Gen. Geo. W. Dulles
1868 Debas Officer Ky

Bully Burns

July 30

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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands---Eastern District, Kentucky,
Chief Sub. Assistant Commissioner's Office,

Lexington, Ky., 186

H. C. McHenry

East Cleveland Ohio
Jan'y 13. 69

Hale S. Co

Encloses Vouchers
in favor of him-
self for actual
Expenses amt'g to
\$27.30

Rec'd A. B. O. Ky Jan 14-1869

Dear General

June 1st 1865

My dear General

I have the honor to

acknowledge the receipt of

your letter of the 28th

inst. in relation to the

proposed amendments to the

Constitution of the State.

I have the honor to

inform you that the

same have been referred

to the committee on

the subject.

I am, Sir, very

respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

Wm. A. R. Smith

N 68 Jan 13 1869

Washington D.C.
Jan'y 13. 69

Howard Maj Gen O.O.,
by Chief D.O.
Returning letter
of Jan'y 8. 69 with
duplicate Bounty
Receipts for Harvey
Atwood late Pk
B. 11 C.S.

Rec'd A. L. O. of Jan'y 13-1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Aban. Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER,

Washington,

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Respectfully returned with
duplicate receipts
as requested

/

H. M. Falloch

Bvt. Brig.-Gen. and Chief D.O.,
Bureau R., F., and A.L.

1869

At 69. Feb 1. 1869

Washington D.C.,
Jan'y 13. 69

Howard Maj Gen O.O.
By W. P. Drew

Says the claim for
Bravery of Henry
Barnett late Ph
A 107 C is allowed
& the amt \$121. is in
the hands of the Chief
D.O.

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 16-1869.

War Department,
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,
CLAIM DIVISION.

Washington, D. C., January 13th, 1868.

Col. Hug. Gen. Pers. J. Dunkle, U. S. A.

Asst. Commr. Bureau R. F. & L. Lane.
Louisville Ky.

General,

I am directed to inform you that the claim for bounty, &c. of Henry Garrett, late Pvt. Co. H 10th U. S. C. Troops is allowed, and the amount (\$121.87) is in the hands of the Chief Disb. Officer of the Bureau for remittance to claimant.

The claim was forwarded May 5th 1867 by the Supt. of the Bureau at Lebanon, Ky. The C. O. address of claimant (Elias Guckman, father) is: "Springfield, Ky."

I am, General,

very respectfully,

Your obedient servant

William H. Hunt
Agent Bureau R. F. & L.
Chief of Claim Division

At. 70 sent. 1869

Washington D.C.,
Jan'y 13. 69

Howard Maj Gen O.O.,
By W.P. Drew

Says in reply to
letter of 7th inst
That my Treas Clerk
in favor of Louis
Beard late of Co G
108 - C.A. has been
recd - That an
effort will be
made to ascertain
the condition of
the claim &c

Recd A. B. O. Ky Jan 16 - 1869.

War Department,
BUREAU OF REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
CLAIM DIVISION,

Washington, D. C., January 1, 1869

Col. Brig. Gen. L. L. Runkle,
Assistant Commissioner, &c.
Fayetteville, Ky.
Dear Sir:

In answer to letter from your office dated the 27th inst. inquiring concerning the condition of the claim of Lewis Beard, late of Co. G 48th U.S.C.T., I am directed to inform you that no certificate in favor of the said Beard has as yet been received at this Bureau.

An effort will be made to ascertain the condition of the claim and the result communicated to you.

(over)

My dear Mr. Hall,

Your obedient servant

James M. Smith

Agent Bureau A. P. S. S.

Chief of Indian Reservation

Nov 1. 1869

Washington D. C.
Jan'y 11. 69-

Howard Maj Gen O.O.
By H. M. Whittlesey

Enclose Transportation
order No 79
for F. A. O. McCurdy
Teacher from Louis-
ville to Cave City Ky

order used by Alice
Tompson. Jan 18/69

Receipt sent to Whittlesey
Jan 14/69

Recd A. O. O. K Jan 16/69

Louisville Ky

Jan 18-1869,

Received the order mentioned
within.

Alice Thompson

[Form 6.]

War Department,

Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER.

Washington, January 11th 1869.

Bot. Brig. Genl. S. Burbank, U.S.A.

Asst. Commissioner to,

Louisville, Ky.

General:

I respectfully forward herewith Transportation Orders,

No. 79, for transportation of

Mrs. F. A. C. McCurdy, Teacher,

the same having been requested by your communication to
this office, of date January 6th 1869.

By order of Maj. - Gen. O. O. Howard, Commissioner.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Chief Quartermaster, Bureau R., F., and A.L.

E. J. Mearns
a general

Washington, D.C.

Jan 11th / 89.

Genl O O Howard.

Sir.

There is a poor old colored woman in my town who says she kept 28 colored children for the use of Freedman's Bureau "St. Louis" but has forgotten his name. at Columbus Ky & that she was never paid for her services. I write this to ask you to please give the name of the Officer if you have it & to know how the old creature can procure her claim. she says she can prove her statement by any number of living witnesses. Your early reply would greatly oblige my correspondents.

Most respectfully

John A. Logan

L. R. A. Logan

Carbondale Jan 4th
1869

To Genl John A Logan.

You do not
remember my ~~going~~ to you some
weeks since about a claim I
have against the Govt for boarding
or taking care of the Colored
Orphan children at Columbus Kent-
ucky, at which time you said
the claim could easily be obtained
from Govt and you thought about
Christmas I would receive my pay.

The children were 23 in number and
I kept them 3 years. If any thing
can be done for me I wish it
could be done now. for I am
struggling with poverty and very
much in need. Have you thought

about my son in State Prison
at Solent - which you thought
you could obtain the release for -
Please let me hear from you
and oblige yours.
Polly Woodard
(Coloured)

Please direct to the care
of Saml L. Flagler
Carbondale -

73. M. 1. 11-9

Washington D.C.
Jan'y 14. 69

Howard Maj Gen O.O.

By Chief D.C. -
Returns copy of
Estimate for Jan'y
app'd -

Encloses Transfer
order # 5324 on U.S.
Dep Louisville for
\$9,865.⁵⁴ to fill
the Estimate

Receipts signed & sent to
him Jan 17 - 1869.

Recd A. L. O. by Jan 17 - 1869

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War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C. *January 14* 1869

Br. Col. Ben. P. Runkle. D.O.
Louisville. Ky.

Colonel:

Enclosed please find Transfer Order \$5324 on
W.D. Depository Louisville. for \$9,865. $\frac{54}{100}$ amt
required to fill your estimate for present month.
Please sign and return receipt at
your earliest convenience.

Yours respectfully,
W. B. Malloch
Br. Brig. Gen. & Chf. D.O.

RECEIVED
Bureau of Refugees, Immigrants and Chinese
Approved: By Command

May 2nd 1900

Chas. W. P. Allen

Chas. W. P. Allen
Chief Accounting & Finance Officer

Required for the service of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, at _____ in the month of Jan-
1867, by Willob. Ben. F. Tucker Disly Officer Dep.

| | DOLLS. | CTS. |
|--|--------|--------|
| Salaries of Assistant and Sub-Assistant Commissioners, | | |
| Salaries of Clerks, in Office of Civil Commissioner | 1 | 58 00 |
| Stationery and Printing, ^{10⁰⁰} & addresses approved ^{15⁷⁰} no reduce to expenses by Dec 31
of Comptroller's office | 2 | 15 00 |
| Quarters and Fuel, Civil Commr. Wm H. Leland Charles and Frederick Dando | 3 | 00 00 |
| Clothing for Distribution, 3 for January Feb and March 69 for Hospital | 4 | 95 00 |
| Commissary Stores, 3 in charge stores with directions contained in Circular Letter given the Commissioner dated Dec 20 + 14 + 86 | 1 | 30 91 |
| Medical Department, Bank, Nurses & Doctors House for St. J. | 1 | 84 00 |
| Proape & Draw Transportation, | 1 | 20 00 |
| School Superintendents, | 9 | 00 00 |
| Buildings for Schools and Asylums, including construction, rental, and repairs, | 1 | 18 60 |
| Telegraphing and Postage, | 5 | 00 00 |
| Total, | 9 | 865 51 |

[DUPLICATES.]

Approved.

Asst. Commissioner.

For

Ms. A. 9. 2. 1. 1869

Washington D.C.
 Jan'y 14. 69

Howard May Geo O.D.
 By Chief D.O.
 Fumishes copy
 of letter from War
 Dept stating that
 The "Republican" of
 Springfield Mass
 had been placed on
 the advertising list
 of the War Dept

Recd A. L. O. of Jan 17 - 1869

War Department

Washington City.

January 9. 1869.

General.

I am instructed to inform you that the "Republican", a newspaper published at Springfield, Mass., has been placed on the advertising list of the War Department.

You will please give notice of the same to officers acting under orders from your Bureau.

Very Respectfully

Yours Obedt Servt

(Signed) John Felt

Chf. Clk.

Official copy respectfully forwarded A.C. H. D. M. 1869

J. C. Smith, Jr. for his copy

Genl. D. M. C.

131 1/2 Ave. N. W. C.

131 1/2 Ave. N. W. C.

N 45. vol 1. 1869

Washington D.C.
Jan'y 12. 69

Howard Map Gen O.C.
By Chief Q.M.
ack pre ch of Col
Runkles. "Property
ack" Bureau and Store
for Nov. 1868

Annexed Remarks
& calls attention there
to —

Reply to be marked
Vol 4 of accts Page
567 —

See Letters to Study
Date Jan'y 29. 1869.

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 17-1869

[Form 3.]

War Department,
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,
OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,

Washington, Jan 14 12 1869

Sir:

Your **PROPERTY** Account "Stores pertaining to the Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands" for the month of November, 1868, has been received, examined, and forwarded to Third Auditor of the Treasury for final examination and settlement.

Your early attention is called to the following remarks, viz.:

Not received

NOTE.—Reply to be marked Vol. 4 of Accounts, page 567, and addressed to Major-General O. O. HOWARD, Commissioner.

By order of Maj.-Gen. O. O. Howard, Commissioner.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

John A. Smith
Bvt. Brig.-Gen., Chief Q.M., Bureau R., F., & A. L.

To Rev. Mr. [illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]

The report presented by Circular No 3-
Mrs. C. C. M. Office Bureau R. F. H. L. relative to
issue of allowance from supplies pertaining to
this Bureau to officers of the Army in support
of the issue accounted for on voucher & Abstract
"G" is required.

Voucher & Abstract "L" Building
material expended "as used in constructing
Fenderson School House at Shelbyville Ky."
If the building was constructed as stated
and not merely repaired, it should be taken
up and accounted for as provided by
Special Order No 28, Comm Bureau R. F. H. L.
Explanation required.

1861. May

Washington July 6. 69

Report to C. M. by
C. I. M.

Returns Inventory of 2M.
Stoves & C.C. & G.E. to be
turned over to the 2M. &
and say 1st & 2nd
H.C. Ransom Jefferson
ville Ind has been in-
structed to receive & receipt
for said property

Recd A. L. O. by Jan 17. 1872

L. 91

Freedom's Bureau
January 30th 1869

Returns
with the information desired.
Lists of Dr. Mrs Property and
requests that an Officer of the
Dr. Mrs Dept may be designated
to receive and receipt for the same.

3-17

1869, 3

E. B. 1723 Feb 1. 1868. Continued

War Dept B. R. H. H.
Office Chief Clerk
Washington Feb 6/69

Respectfully referred to
Act Col. Gen. Plunkett
Asst. Asst. Commr. P. D.
D. H. Ky., enclosing at-
tention of endorsement
of Dr. Mrs. of 4
instant

By Command of
R. M. E. O. H. H.
Commissioner
Henry M. Whittier
Chas. W. H. H.

Recd back A. G. O. Ky Feb 7/69

May 21st. Off. H.
Office, Chicago
Working Jan 14/69

Respectfully referred to
Maj. Gen. P. Runkle, U.S.
D.C. B. & H., in writing at-
tention to the foregoing
endorsement of the Lt.
Major Gen. U.S. and re-
questing that he will
furnish the information
desired.

Copies to be returned -
By Command of
Maj. Gen. O. Howard, U.S.
Commissioner

Henry M. Whittelsey
Capt. U.S.A.

Recd. back A. L. O. H. Jan 14/69

Bureau & Gen. A. L.
Asst. Comm. Office H.
Louisville Ky. Jan 27/69

Respectfully returned to
Major Gen. O. O. Howard
Commr. Washington D.C.
All the articles men-
tioned within are at
Louisville Ky.

END 48 Post Colonel U.S.A.
1869 Asst. Comm. & H.

E. B. 1223 108 1. 88 (Delivered)

May 21st. Off. H.
Office, Chicago
Washington Jan 30. 1869
Respectfully forwarded to
Maj. Gen. M. B. Meigs, U.S.
U.S. in writing attention to the fore-
going endorsement as furnishing
the information desired.

By Command of
Maj. Gen. O. Howard, U.S.
Commissioner

Henry M. Whittelsey
Capt. U.S.A.

Jan 12. 5. 71

Respectfully returned
to Major Gen. O. O.
Howard Commissioner
Bureau Refuges, Freedmen
& Abandoned Lands -

Post Lieut Col A.C.
Ransom Lower In charge
of Depot at Jefferson-
ville, Ind. has been
instructed to receive
the property referred to
within & receipt for
the same.

By order of Maj. Gen.
Meigs, U.S.
Post Brig Gen
D. M. S. 69.

Jan 4 69.

E. D. Smith, Dec 31 1868

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,

Office Chief Quartermaster,

WASHINGTON,

Dec. 31 1868.

Respectfully

forwarded to Art.

Major Genl. M. C. Meigs,

Quartermaster General, U.S.

with the request that

some officer of the Quar-

termaster's Department

may be designated to

receive and receipt for

the property pertaining

to that Department,

specified in the en-

closed lists.

By command of

Major Genl. O. O. Howard

Commissioner

James M. Whittier

Chief Clerk

2 (Encl.)

L. S. C.

Freedmen's Bureau

Dec 31 1868

Forwards

list in duplicate of Dr.

Master's Property. Requests

that some officer of the

Q. M. Dept may be desig-

nated to receive and

receipt for the same

goods or ransom

W. H. 12

Respectfully returned

to Major Genl. O. O.

Howard, Commissioner

Bureau R. F. & A. Lands,

for information as

to the station or point

where the properties, for

it is referred to the Quar-

termaster's Department,

referred to within, is

stored.

*Very truly,
Quartermaster Genl.
Portmajor General*

*J. M. G.
Jan 12th 1869*

WRAPPER

Enclosures.

Sept 13 1723 to Sept 13 1728
C. 31/1723 to 1728
D. 31/1723 to 1728
mountain of Quarters

Masters (Loran) Aug

Clothing. Camp Aug

G. E. to be turned in

The Quarters Dept

to C. D.

Oct 12. Fri. 91

Inventory of Quartermaster's Office at Fort. Camp, San Francisco, California in progress
of the Quartermaster. Quartermaster's Office in the state of California to be made up to the Quartermaster
Sept. 10th 1860.

| No of Quantities | Articles | Condition | Remarks. |
|------------------|----------------|-----------|----------|
| 15 | 100 lbs. Flour | Good | |
| 8 | 100 lbs. Flour | | |
| 40 | 100 lbs. Flour | | |
| 1 | 100 lbs. Flour | | |
| 5 | 100 lbs. Flour | | |
| 4 | 100 lbs. Flour | | |
| 7 | 100 lbs. Flour | | |
| 2 | 100 lbs. Flour | | |

11/11/60 The above inventory is correct.

By Order of the Quartermaster
Lieut. Col. S. M. May 17th 1860
District Office (California)

4444 1869

Washington D.C.
Jan'y 15. 69

Howard Maj Gen O.O.
By Chief D.C.
Encloses Bounty
Receipts of Nancy
Phillips sister of
Wm E. Rankin late
Pvt Co D, 12. H. A.
for \$187.00



[Large handwritten signature]

131 Grand Ave
1869, Oct. 18. 1869
Rankin's Office - 1869

[Handwritten signature]

Barren R. G. + Co Secs
Warrens Office State of Ky
Remitted by Jan 2 1869.
Respectfully forwarded
to East Washington by 29-30
to the Chief Clerk of the Court
in 1869.

Rec'd at C. H. Jan 15 1869

4444 1869

Apr 8

1/24

Amount of pay for
for amount of pay for
due on account of service
of Wm E. Rankin late
Pvt Co D, 12. H. A.
Date 2/12, 1869
at the Bureau of
the State of Ky
373424.

Wm E. Rankin

March 28. 1869
New York Ky

Feb 1. 1869.

Feb 1. 1869.

Monticello Ky
Decr 28. 1868

Phillips Nancy

Forward application
for arrears of pay & bounty
due in account of services
of Wm E Rankin late
Sgt Co 12, USCTA
as per Treasury cer-
tificate # 373424.

1/243

apl 8

Recd A to C. G. Jan 3. 1869

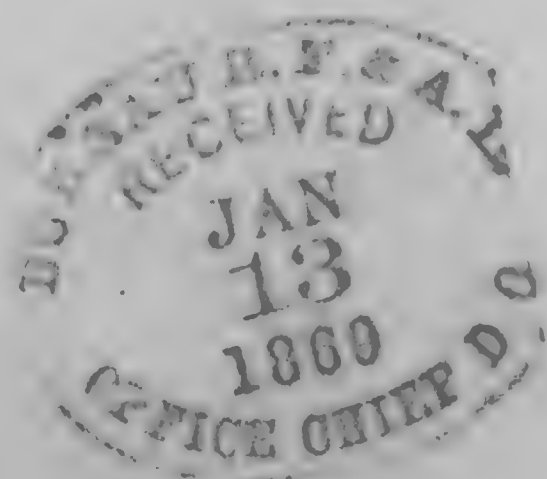
Bureau R D + A Secs.
Assessor's Office State of Ky
Louisville Ky Jan 8. 1869.

Respectfully forwarded
to Brig Genl Geo W. Bal-
loch Chief of Dept of Wash-
ington D C.

~~RECEIVED~~

L.R. Br Colnd 11/1
1869, Distg Offr - R-1.

Ray



Washington D.C.
Jany 13. 69
Honble May Genl C.G.
By Chief D.C.
Recd of Drury
Phillips brother of
Wm E Rankin late
Sgt Co 12, USCTA
\$187.00

At 49 Dec 1. Qu. 187

Washington D.C.
Jan'y 13. 69

Howard Maj Gen O.O.
By Chief Dr. Mr.

Ack Receipt of
Col Runkles reply
to remarks on Property
App - Stones pertaining
to B.R.F. & A.L. for
August 68 -

Says. The same
has been referred
to S. D. Auditor

"Endorsed; Satisfactory
& remarks withdrawn"

Col. H. B. R. 70-11-11

[Form 21.]

War Department,
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands.
OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,

Washington, *Jan 13* 1869.

Mr. S. M. ...

Yours truly,

Sir:

Your reply (with enclosure) to the Remarks made by this Office on your Property Account -- Stores pertaining to the Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands -- for the month of *August* 1868, has been received, examined in this Office, and referred to the THIRD AUDITOR OF THE TREASURY for file with the Accounts to which the Remarks relate.

Endorsed: *Satisfactory*

By order of Maj.-Gen. O. O. Howard, Commissioner.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant.

Vol. *11* of Accounts,
Page *572*

John A. ...
Act. Brig.-Gen., and Chief Q.M., Bureau R., F., & A.L.

NARA 800
Bowling Green Ky Jan 16th
1869

to Br. Gen. Punker!

Dear Sir: Miss Laura
Thornberry has a larger
school than she can teach.
the young man she has
got as a assistant is not
a competent teacher and the
people is not satisfied with
him and I ask you for
a teacher that the people
will be satisfied with.
P.S. if you have no teacher on
hand I would recommend Miss
Hollie Blakey of Cleveland

HERA 891
Ohio. and I think
her and Miss Thornberry
could manage the School
very well.

Respectfully Yours.

J. L. Wigdon

W 81. m. 1. 1869

Washington D.C.
January 14. 69

Howard Maj Gen BB
Br J M Abroad

Says a Clerical
Error occurred in
his note to Chap
Stobbs of Dec 26

Instead of "If you
will make the Certificate"
it should read "If the
Secretaries of the various
Societies will make"

Says Chap Stobbs
rework will also be
needed to corroborate
Certificate &c.

File

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 18-1869

MAR 1869

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,
OFFICE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT SCHOOLS.

Washington, D. C., January 11th 1869

Rev. T. H. Miller,

Supt. Education,

S. C.

In my late note to you of Dec.
2nd accompanying letter of Mr. L. J. G. a desired
correction.

Instead of "if you will make the certificate"
it should read "if the sentiment of the various
societies will make" &c.

Please do what you can to have this done
promptly. The circular was sent only to inform
you of what is wanted, in order to secure your
cooperation.

Yours very truly

W. A. Brown

Difficult report will also be
needed to corroborate certificate.

Genl. Supt. Schools

A. S. 4. vol 1, Ba. Ky. 1869

Washington Jan 16. 69

Forward C. C. M. Sent by
Chief Dr. Mr

Forward one Copy
of Circular No 12 1868

Receipt signed at return
to me Jan 19/69

Recd R. C. C. Ky Jan 19 - 1869

War Department,
Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,
OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,

Washington, *January 16 1869*

Colonel

I have the honor to transmit herewith
copies each of General Orders, Commissioner Bureau R., F., and
A. L., Nos. _____

Also, One copies each of Circulars, Commissioner Bureau
R., F., and A. L., Nos. *12 of R. F.* _____

the receipt of which you will
promptly acknowledge, by signing and returning the accompanying letter.

You will be held responsible for the distribution of Orders to officers
serving under your direction.

By order of Maj. - Gen. O. O. Howard, Commissioner.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Bvt. Brig. Gen. and Chief Q. M.,
Bureau R., F., and A. L.

To [illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]

No 85. vol 1. 1869

Washington D.C.

June 16. 69

Remond O. O. War Dept
by Chief D. M.
J

He acknowledges receipt of and
returns thanks for the order
sent him as per his re-
quest of the 30. ult.

Recd A. S. O. Ky Jan 19/69

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,
OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,
Washington, D. C., *January 10th* 1867

Rt Col Ben P. Runkle
apt Campidoux R.R. 2 M. N.
Louisville Ky.

Dear Sir:

General Anthony desires me to acknowledge
the receipt of, and return you his thanks for the order you
sent him in reply to his letter of the 30th ultimo.

Very respectfully

Your obedient servant

Wm. L. Johnson

A. H. Dec 1. 1869

Nashua Jan 13. 1869

Howard C. O. Maj. Genl
by Chf Dist. Officer

State names of Newspapers
for public advertising in
the State of Georgia.

Recd A. C. O. Ky Jan 19 - 1869

War Department
Washington City
January 13. 1869.

General.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives has designated the following named newspapers for the public advertising in the State of Georgia, viz; the "American Union" of Macon, Ga, viz the "National Republican" of Augusta, Ga, discontinued.

You will please give notice of, the named to offices acting under orders from your Bureau.

By order of the Secretary of War.

(Signed) John Potts

Chief Clerk.

Official copy respectfully furnished Col. W. H. Hunt U. S. A.
Louisville Ky. for his information.

Geo. M. Ballou

Act. Secy. Gen. U. S. A. & C.
Honor. R. P. M. U. S. A.

Ms A 87 vol 1, 1869

Washington D.C.
January 16, 69

Howard O. O. May, Esq.
by Chf Disb. Offr

Direct Col Runkle
not to pay rent for
the Freedmens Savings
Bank any longer

will keep & file
see letter to Cashier
J. S. & A. Co. Jan 29, 69
for info. re. the
rent of the bank for
the month of Jan 1869

Recd A. L. O. O. by Jan 19/69

WAR 311
War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C. January 16, 1869

Col. Geo. P. Runkle, S.D.
Lomaxville, ~~Miss.~~
Colonel:

I am directed by Gen. Balloch to inform you not to pay rent for "Freedmen Living Runkle" any longer. I noticed you estimated on rent for same, in your last Estimate.

I am very respectfully
Your obt. servant.
S. C. [Signature]
Chief Clerk.

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

General!

I have the honor to invite your attention to Endorsement from this office of Nov 30, 1868, recommending M. P. Barnes be appointed Clerk in place of P. J. Overley, at a salary of \$150. per month from January 1st 1869. And to earnestly recommend that he be appointed.

Mr. Dames is an efficient faithful and rapid clerk and certainly earns the amount asked (\$150)

Very Respectfully

Yuan Oblik Serok

Bill Runk

Br. Colonel W. A.

Asik Carrin St.

N 92 over. 1869

Washington Jan. 18. 69

Howard O. O. Maj Gen
by C. D. C.

Howard Check # 581
for \$145.31 to pay bounty
due Saml Sales. fa (d)
Henry Sales. Cat. 10852
as per vouchers enclosed

Cheques sent to Dallas
Jan 21/09,

Recd A. C. O. by Jan 21-1869

War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C., January 11, 1864

Col Ruf P. Runkle & Co
Louisville Ky.

Sir,

I send you my check
#581 on U. S. Depository at Louisville Ky.
for \$170.³¹ I pay bounty due fam^l Sales
as per vouchers enclosed.

Very Resp^l
Chas. M. Ballou

Wm. M. French & Co. & Co. & Co. & Co.

K

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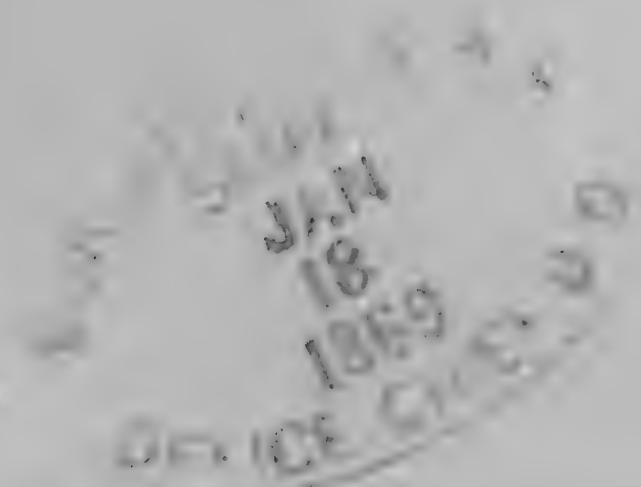
Louisville

Jan. 12. 1869.

Kentucky:

Bot. Col. B.P. Runkle,
Asst. Commr.

Inquires respecting the
claim of Samuel, father of
Henry Sales, deceased, Co K., 108th
W.C.P., filed by Wolf Hart & Co.



War Department,

Bureau R. F. & A. L.,

Claim Division,

Washington, Jan. 15. 1869.

Respectfully referred to
Bot. Brig. Genl Geo. W. Balloch,
Chief D. O., with information
that certificate for Saml Sales,
within referred to, was sent to
his office July 2. 1868.

William J. Felt.

Agent B. R. F. & A. L.,
Chief of Claim Division.



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JAN 15
1869
OFFICE OF THE
COMMISSIONER

RECEIVED
JAN 18
1869
OFFICE OF THE
COMMISSIONER

War Department,
Bureau P. & A. F.,
Claim Division,
Washington, Jan. 15. 1869.
Respectfully refers to
Acting and Asst. Sec. of War,
Chief of O., with information
that certificate for Dam Dale,
within referred to, was sent to
him of the July 2. 1868.

Kentucky: Re Mr. R. P. Runkle,
Chief of Dam Dale, father of
Dam Dale, deceased, Co. K, 10th
Regt. Ill. Inf., by Mr. Runkle.

San. 12. 1869
J. M. Runkle

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K

Printed at the D. O. by J. M. Runkle

HARR 513

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., January 12th 1869.

Wm O. Drew Esq

In Charge of "Claim Division".

Bureau R. F. & A. L. Washington D. C.

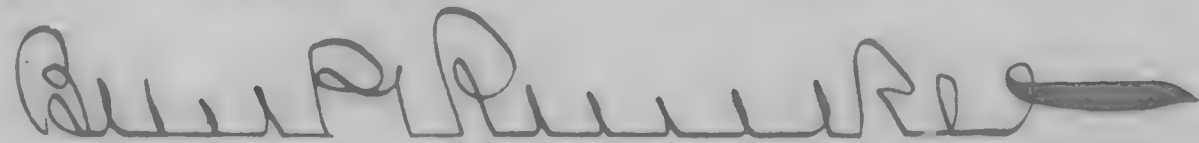
Sir,

I have the honor to request you to ascertain
the present condition of the claim for Bounty of
Samuel Sales father of Henry Sales (decd) late of
Company K 108 U. S. I.

Claim was made by Wolf Hart & Co Washington D. C.

I am very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,



Res Colonel U. S. A.

Asst Commissioner.

Sent to B. O. J.

2/18/68

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Carey Creek Ky
Jan 20 69

Hardrick Green

Asks for \$20 per
month for rent
of School building
at Carey Creek Ky

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Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 23 1869

Rev A. L. O.
Asst Comm Office Ky
Louisville Jan 29. 69

Respectfully referred to
Chap J. H. Noble Asst
Supt Education for his
information and action.

By order of
Det (S) Gen J. H. Noble

Levi J. Dranett

En 88 Det Cpl Ufa
1869

Mr Benjamin Runkel
For I have a school of twenty three
scholars and there will be more that
will come in yet cant you pay
me twenty Dollars per month
with the number of scholars
that I have at now I shall have
some three or four more that has not
come yet

Yours Green Mountain

"M" 100 Vol 1 1869

Washington Jan 20. 69

Howard B. O. May Gene
by Chief-Parley Officer

Enclosed Check # 584. for
121 48 to pay bounty
due Kalla Run as per
Voucher enclosed

HL-1864

100 to 199
Receipt sent to B. H. H. H.
Jan

Recd A. B. O. Ky Jan 23- 1869

War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C., *June 20*, 1864

Col *Benj. F. Runkle* *20*
Louisville Ky

Dr:

Enclosed I send,
you my check \$584 on U. S. Treasury,
at Louisville Ky, for \$120. 4⁰⁰ to pay
boarding and sitting day as per vouchers enclosed

Very truly
Geo. W. Fuller
Acting Chief Disbursing Officer

Office Kentucky State Agency
Washington D.C. Jan 19-1869.

Respectfully referred to
Major Genl O. O. Howard,
and attention invited
to endorsements hereon.

Please advise me if any-
thing has been done
with check referred to
within - and return this
letter -

C. D. Pennebaker
Capt State of Ky

L. S. O. June 29 1868

Recd

N. Bath N. E.

Asks for information
concerning the back pay
&c of Sally Ray or -p
of her dead Son.
Says that her Treasury
Certificate #453.308 for
\$132²³ was recd by James
G. Hamill of Hardensburg Ny
and sent to Washington. &
that he has recd his full &c

P. J. O

Bureau R D and A Lando
Asst Commr Office State of Ky.
Louisville Ky Nov 3rd 1888.

Respectfully returned to J.R.
McBeath Litchfield Ky with
the information that I will
send to Washington for the
money of Kitty Ray.

By order of

By order of
 Robt Eng Genl & Burbanck
 Asst Comdr State of Ky.

Wm. R. R. R.

2nd Colonel R.S. A.

EB Ro. 1868 Chief of Staff to

Litchfield Ry
Jan'y 8. 1869

Col C D Pumbaker
By State Agent
Washington D.C.

Dear Col.

I respectfully refer this paper to you and hope you will try and find out what has become of the check due the claimant herein. I cant understand the delay. The check must be somewhere and the claimant needs the money very much.

Respectfully
J. R. McBeath

Ласкы В. 3. 1868

Litchfield Ky

Oct 28. 1868

Agent of the Freedman's Bureau
Louisville Ky.

Dear Sir

Kitty Ray - a woman of Color of this place has been informed by her atty Jas. G. Haswell of Hardinsburg Ky, that he received some time ^{ago} a Certificate No 455508 for \$132²⁵ being for back pay &c due her as the heir of a deceased son of hers that died in the U.S. Service. Mr Haswell further stated that he sent said Treasury Certificate back to the Bureau Office at Washington City, with a statement of his Charges as atty for procuring the Certificate and that she would receive a check ~~from~~ through the Bureau Office at Louisville or Brandenburg for the balance due her, less his fee. He has since advised her that he has received his fee. But her check has never yet been received and she writes this to inquire whether there is a check for about \$121⁴⁸ at your office for her, or whether such a check has ever passed through your office. She is anxious to get the money as she is needy. Please advise her to the care of the undersigned

Your obt servant
J. R. McBeath
Litchfield Ky.

"M" 101 Vol 11. 1769

Washington Jan 20. 69

Howard C. O. Ma Genl

Henry M. Miller
Jgm

Encloses One Copy of
Circular # 12 of
1868

Receipt signed & returned to
Jan 20/69

Recd A. C. O. K Jan 23-1869

[Form 9.]

War Department,
Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,
OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,

Washington,

June 20 1867.

I have the honor to transmit herewith
copies each of General Orders, Commissioner Bureau R., F., and
A. L., Nos. _____

Also, _____ copies each of Circulars, Commissioner Bureau
R., F., and A. L., Nos. _____,

the receipt of which you will
promptly acknowledge, by signing and returning the accompanying letter.

You will be held responsible for the distribution of Orders to officers
serving under your direction.

By order of Maj. - Gen. O. O. Howard, Commissioner.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Henry M. Whittier

Brig. - Gen. and Chief Q. M.,

Bureau R., F., and A. L.

To _____

End 27 101. Nov. 1868

Transportation after December 31, 1868.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
Washington, December 31, 1868.

CIRCULAR }

No. 12. }

Hereafter, transportation for officers, agents, and employes of this Bureau, and for teachers employed by benevolent associations of private citizens, will be furnished as now provided by Circular No. 14, of April 10, 1867, and Circular No. 22, of July 1, 1867.

Transportation, at the expense of this Bureau, of dependent refugees and freedmen, and of stores for distribution amongst these classes, will no longer be furnished.

Applications for transportation for sick refugees and freedmen requiring treatment in hospital, will be forwarded through Assistant-Commissioners for the orders of the Commissioner.

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The reports relating to transportation, required by existing orders and regulations, will continue to be made.

All unused transportation orders and bills of lading will be forwarded to these headquarters for cancellation, as directed by Circular No. 9, of March 18, 1867.

O. O. HOWARD,
Major-General, Commissioner.

OFFICIAL:

*Under Commissioning Secretary of War
for the purpose of the order, in the 10th inst*

End 27 101. Vol. 1867

Transportation after December 31, 1868.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
Washington, December 31, 1868.

CIRCULAR }
No. 12 }

Hereafter, transportation for officers, agents, and employes of this Bureau, and for teachers employed by benevolent associations of private citizens, will be furnished as now provided by Circular No. 14, of April 10, 1867, and Circular No. 22, of July 1, 1867.

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Major-General, Commissioner.

OFFICIAL:

A. A. Adj.-Gen.

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Nashua Jan 20. 69

Howard O. O. Maj Genl br
Chf Quartr Off

Acknowledges the
receipt of Col Purkes
duplicate receipts for
\$9865³⁷

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 23-1879

War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C., January 20th 1869

Col. Gen. P. Runkle S. A.
Louisville Ky.
Va.

Your duplicate receipts
for \$9865⁰⁰ have been received

Yours Respectfully
Geo. H. Ballou

Chief Disbursing Officer

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Washington Jan 20 69

Howard O. O. May Genl
Chf. D.O.

Return Col Purkles
letter of Jan 14 69
with the information
that the discharge of
Green Hite. Capt Corp CB
123. CD is not in
my Office

Respectfully returned with
the information that the
discharge called for
is not in the Office
of B. B. Morris the Atty
might be able to give you some
information concerning it

Washington, Jan 20 1868.
Office Chief Disbursing Officer,

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Aban. Lands,

Recd A. L. O. K. Jan 20/69

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Aban. Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER,

Washington, *July 20* 1868.

Respectfully Returned with
the information that the
discharge called for
is not in this office -
N. B. Morris the Atty
may be able to give you some
information concerning it

Bvt. Brig.-Gen. and Chief D.O.,
Bureau R., F., and A.L.

Recd A. L. O. R. Jan 20/91

Stoughton Jan 20/91
Demond O. O. My Kind
Chg. O. O.
Return to Bureau
Atty of Army 14.69
with the information
that the discharge of
James H. K. (in Capt. 1863)
12.3.68 is not in
this office

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., Jan'y 14th 1869.

Brig Genl G. W. Balloch

Chief D. O. &c

Washington D. C.

General;

I have the honor to request
you to forward to this office
the Discharge of Green Hite late
Corpl Co "B" 123 U. S. A. (whose bounty
was paid in December) if in your
possession.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

~~Benjamin~~

Brig Colonel U. S. A.

Distg Officer Ky.

Dec 31

"JH" 104. Vol 1. 1869.

Washington Jan 20. 69

Harvard O. O. May 1st by
Chief Deputy Officer

Refers letter of J. C.
M. Wallen asking for
the bounty of \$5000
Harris widow of Peter
Harris late Co. D. 13. Regt
& says no money
in the case sent
Col Rankin Oct 19 68

Recd A. L. O. H. Jan 23-1869

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Aban. Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER,

Washington, Jan 20 1869

Respectfully

Charles A. Smith
of funds in this case
now out for Oct
19 of 1868

Wm. H. Smith
But. Brig.-Gen. and Chief D.O.,
Bureau R., F., and A.L.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Aban. Lands,

OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER,

Washington,

July 20 1869

Respectfully

Yours truly
Runkle. Vouchers
of funds in this case
were sent you Oct
19 1868.

Wm. M. McKim
Bvt. Brig.-Gen. and Chief D.O.,
Bureau R., F., and A.L.

Recd A. L. O. R. 25-03

Refers letter of J. C.
McCallahan asking for
the benefit of redemption
of the proceeds of the
Harris and son of John
Harris late in A. L. 13485
+ say a few shares & money
in the coal mine sent
at Rock Hill Oct 19 68

James O. O. McKim
Chief Disb. Officer
Washington Jan 25 69

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Clarksville Tenn.
Dec. 30th 1868

Genl. George W. Ballou
C. S. O. &c.

General. Please
forward the bounty of femina
Harris widow of Peter Harris late
Co "F" 13th U. S. Co. Ia. to Eddyville
Kentucky. She writes that she
has not yet received it.

Very Respectfully
J. B. Mc Mullen
Adj. &c.

WAR 888
"J" 105 Vol 1. 1769.

Marking on Jan 21. 69

Howard O. O. Maj Gen
Chf. Q. A.

Enclose check \$58.50
for 152²³ to pay
bounty due Mary
Cant as per
vouchers enclosed.

Rec'd ~~at~~ sent to Wallcut
Jan 24/69

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 24-1869.

War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C. Jan 21, 1869

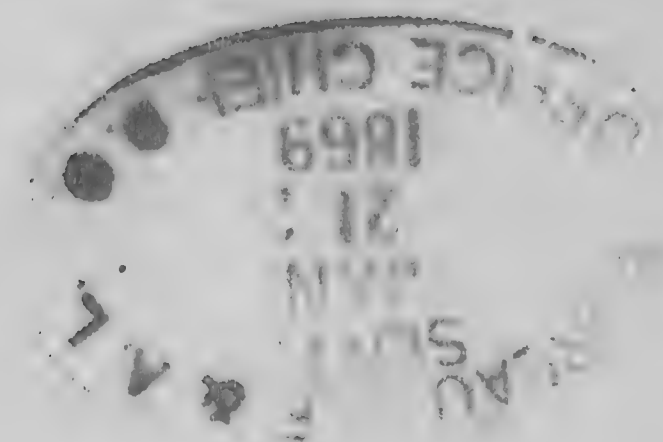
Col S. B. Rumpsee A. V.,
Louisville Ky

Sir

I enclose you my
check #580 on U. S. Depositary at Louisville
Ky for \$152.23.00 to pay bounty due Mary
Cook, as per vouchers enclosed.

Yours Respy
Geo. W. F. Allcock

Wm. B. Hutchins



Frederic Ray



MAR 9 1869



Spencer
Ray



J. B. CONKLIN,

No. 8 West Third Street,

Attorney at Law and Solicitor of Claims,
Law and Collection Office,

Will practice in all the courts, including District and Supreme Courts of the U. S. Also, the Court of Claims, and the various Executive Departments.
In your answer, please mention date of this letter.

Cincinnati, *Jan 19 1869*

*Mrs. G. W. Howard
P. O. Commr. to
Washington
D.C.*

Sir:

I have the honor to herewith
transmit receipts in duplicate for draft
for \$1500.00 to *Case Mary
Cook* who has not as yet
received her money - is very
needy and would like to
receive it as soon as possible
I have not been sometime since
you allocated her money

Very Respectfully
Yours etc

J. B. Conklin
per "C"

C. D. No 10/08-

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Washington D.C.
Jan 22nd 1869

Howard O. C. May Genl
by Chief Distg Officer

Enclosed check #586. for
\$784.97 to pay the following
Claimants Bounty.

| | |
|------------------|------------|
| Dolly Ellison | \$ 2120.26 |
| George Stowley | 77.00 |
| May Jane Reilind | 277.71 |

Recd 104 to Balloch
Jan 25/69

Recd R. C. O. Lj Jan 25-1869

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War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C. *January 22*, 1866

Col Ruf G. Brinkley, U.

Louisville Ky.

Sir:

I have the honor to send you
herewith my check "586 on W.C. Depositary
at Louisville Ky for \$784⁹⁷ to pay bounty
due the following claimants as per vouchers enclosed

✓ Lolly Chason for \$420.26

✓ George Housley " \$87.00

✓ Mary Jane Fritenot " 277.71

Total \$784.97

Very Respy

Wm. M. Gaylor
Potter, Gruehn & Co.,
P. L.

(1869)

Whitley C. H. Ky Jan. 13th
O. O. Howard Esq.:-

Dear Sir:- I received
a Certificate for the Benefit
of Dolly Ellison widow
of Jesse Ellison, priv Co
D, 6th U. S. Col. Cav.
payable to you. She
assigned the same in
presence of Two witnesses
and sent it by me to
Louisville Ky. I delivered
it to the officer in charge
Freedman's ~~bureau~~, and
wrote you a letter stating
that my fees were paid.
and she has heard noth-
ing from you since.
and is coming back
upon me for her money



W. J. Wallack

C. G. P.

RECEIVED
JAN 15 1880
OFFICE CHIEF D. C.

RECEIVED
JAN 20 1880
OFFICE CHIEF D. C.

Louisville Ky January 16th 1869

Gen A C Howard
Chief of F B & A Lands
Washington D.C.

Sir

My draft.
Mr H. H. Ames U.S. Claim Agent of the City
of Louisville informs me that he forwarded
Certificate in my favour to you for \$100
dollars on October 16th 1868. and has referred
me to the Freedmans Bureau of this City

I have called frequently at the Bureau
for the money and have been informed
at different times that they had written
for it

If you please. I will be glad to
receive it as I am very much in need
of it

Very Respectfully,
George Mark

Oct-22 1868

Must
H. S. Sanders

Geo H. 117th W. 1st floor

RECEIVED
JAN 20 1889
OFFICE CHIEF

MA 850

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

Assistant Commissioner's Office, State of Kentucky,

Corner Second and Walnut Streets,

Louisville, Ky., January 15th 1869.

W. O. Drew Esq. In Charge

In charge of Claim Division.

Bureau R. & A. S. Washington D. C.

Sir,

I have the honor to request information as to the present condition of the claim for Bounty of Mary J. Fontenot mid of Valley Fontenot late of Co "D" 78 U. S. C. T.

I am very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

Wm. R. R. R.

Was Colonel U. S. A.

Act Commissioner.

W. O. Drew

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Lexington Ky
Jan'y 23rd 1869.

Hamilton J. G.
Teacher

Says the Secy of A. M. A. has ordered another teacher to the school but she has not reported. Says the school is flourishing. That the board has paid him \$240 to balance old account and meet current expenses. That the tuition has been lowered to 25¢ per mo. and all poor children admitted free.

File

Recd A. L. O. Ky Jan 25-1869

Lexington, Ky, Jan 23rd 1869

Gov. Col. Ben. P. Runkle,
Disbursing Officer, Louisville Ky
Col.

I herewith transmit report of "Howard" school for January 1869.

The Secy of A. M. A. has ordered another teacher here but she has not as yet reported for duty.

With suitable apparatus for carrying on the school - it can be made the best one in the state as the material for a good school is in the city.

The school Board has paid me \$240 to balance past account and to meet current expenses.

The tuition has been lowered to 25¢ per month and all poor children

are admitted free.

Hoping that the Report
is satisfactory.

Yours Respectfully,
J. G. Hamilton.
Principal.

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Washington D.C.

Jan 23 1869

Forward O O May Genl
by Chief Disty Officer.

Encloses Chest # 589 for
\$373⁰⁰ to pay bounty due
the following claimants as
per vouchers enclosed.

| | |
|-------------|-------------------------|
| Isaac Red | 186 ⁵⁰ |
| Robt Shealy | 186 ⁵⁰ |
| | <u>373⁰⁰</u> |

Receipt sent to Dallas
Jan 26 - 1869.

Recd A.C. C. Ky Jan 26 - 1869

War Department,
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND ABANDONED LANDS,
OFFICE CHIEF DISBURSING OFFICER.

Washington, D. C. *Jan 23*, 186*0*

Col Bury P. Runkle & Co
Louisville Ky
Ohio

I have the honor to send
you herewith my check # 584 on U. S. Depository
at Louisville Ky for \$ 373.⁰⁰ to pay bounty
due the following claimants as per vouchers enclosed.

| | | |
|----------------|-----|-----------|
| ✓ Isaac Red | for | \$ 186.50 |
| ✓ Robt. Shealy | " | \$ 186.50 |
| Total | | \$ 373.00 |

Very Resp
Wm. W. Hallack
Prs Bury Gen & Co. & Co.

"D 111 W.D. D.O. 1868.
S. 12: Vol. 5: CA: CB: RMA 1869
Soduck Ky Dec 7/68

Shelly, Robt
Late Col. C. S. & A.

Writes for information
Concerning his bounty.
Says he needs his money
very much, is in a
bad condition.

2 Encls

Bureau R. F. & A. Sands
Asst Comr's Office, Ky
Louisville Jan'y 3, 69

Respectfully referred
to Bt Brig Genl G. W.
Balloch Chief D.O.
Washington D. C. for
his information.
I wrote for this
money some time
since.

I expect Marks
holds the Certificate
~~Ben R. Marks~~
Capt. Bt Colonel U.S.A.
1869 D. O. Kentucky



Post A. S. O. Ky Dec 2 1868

Bureau R. F. & A. S.
Office, Chief D.O.
Washington Jan'y 9/69

Respectfully refers
to H. J. Drew, Agent
in Chg, Civil Div. W.
Chas. M. Fulk
Pr. H. J. Drew, D.O.

War Department,
Bureau R. F. & A. S.,
Claim Division,
Washington, Jan. 22 1869.

Respectfully returned to
Bt Brig Genl Geo W. Balloch,
Chief D.O., with certificate
herein called for.

William P. Drew.

Agent Bureau R. F. & A. S.
Chief of Claim Division.

✓

Messrs. James E. T. and A. T.
 Dear Sir: I am the 18th Jan.
 I have not time to tell you how
 much I am indebted to you for the
 and I think you will be glad to hear
 that I am now perfectly well and
 am able to do all my work as usual.
 I am very truly
 Yours
 J. T.

By order of the J. M. S. Roland & Co.
 of the Company of Robert & Co.
 of the Company of Robert & Co.

The above is in the hands of Mr.
 J. T. and Co., 206 1/2 Third Street between
 Main and Market Sts. Louisville Ky

857
 and a letter for

Recd A. B. O. Ky Dec 24-1898

I ed the Dr. to a sum in the letter of the 7th
 as you get by the you was at that time in
 I at least A, and you please to taking with
 you at by the I don't I don't say that of the first
 I don't and I will get it out of me as it is
 I don't but good deal of trouble by I say others that
 have sent me I don't get you all.

I hope to send you a letter that I get from my
 I don't say please you can all of a larger one

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MARKS & CO.,

Exchange and Banking House, and A. S. Claim Agents.

Louisville, Ky.,

May 12th 1868

Mr. Robert Shele

Jeffersonville
Ind

Dear Sir:

No money in your case has
yet been received as soon
as we receive same, you
will be duly notified

Yours Respectfully
Wm Marks & Co

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Louisville, Ky.

October 1868.

Red, Isaac,
late Sgt. Co. K 8th U.S.C.A.

Enclosed certified copy of
his discharge paper, and
transfer of power-of-attorney.

States that he placed his
claim in the hands of
Marks & Co. for collection
in March 1866.

See L.B.C.B.C.D. Vol. 3. Nov. 5 1868,
L. B. D. Hyman. " 10 "

Received, C.D., Bu. R., F., & A.L., Oct 31 1868.

War Department,

Bureau R. F. & A. L.,

Claim Division,

Washington, Jan. 22 1869.

Respectfully referred to
Maj. Brig. Gen. G. W. Balloch,
Chief D. O., with certificate of
Isaac Red, as called for within

William P. Drew.

Agent Bu. R. F. & A. L.
Chief of Claim Division

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State of Kentucky
County of Christian

I Isaac Rife of Trigg County Post-
Office Hopkinsville take a Sergeant in Company
K of the 8th Regt of Heavy Artillery (Colored) State
that in March 1861 after having been discharged
at Louisville I put my discharge papers in
the hands of Messrs Mark & Co. Bankers of Louisville
in order to claim my bounty and paid
them in advance \$2,500 - also the same amt
for Alfred Blair - that they did not prepare
my papers properly, and sent me other papers
which I signed as required, with a promise
that they would write me so soon as my
claim came to hand - since which I have
heard nothing from them in regard to
my claim -

I have hereby revoked the Power of
attorney given them - and substituted
J. Hays of Hopkinsville in their stead
to prosecute and collect my claim
and if ~~my~~ draft has not been paid
and forwarded I hope the same will
be forwarded direct to him - or if
forwarded please say to whom and
at what time. 16

To Brigadier General
Grove Bellack -
Washington D.C.

Isaac Rife
mark

Attest Jacob Hirsch
Lucius Seckel

No Cert
Oct 31 1868
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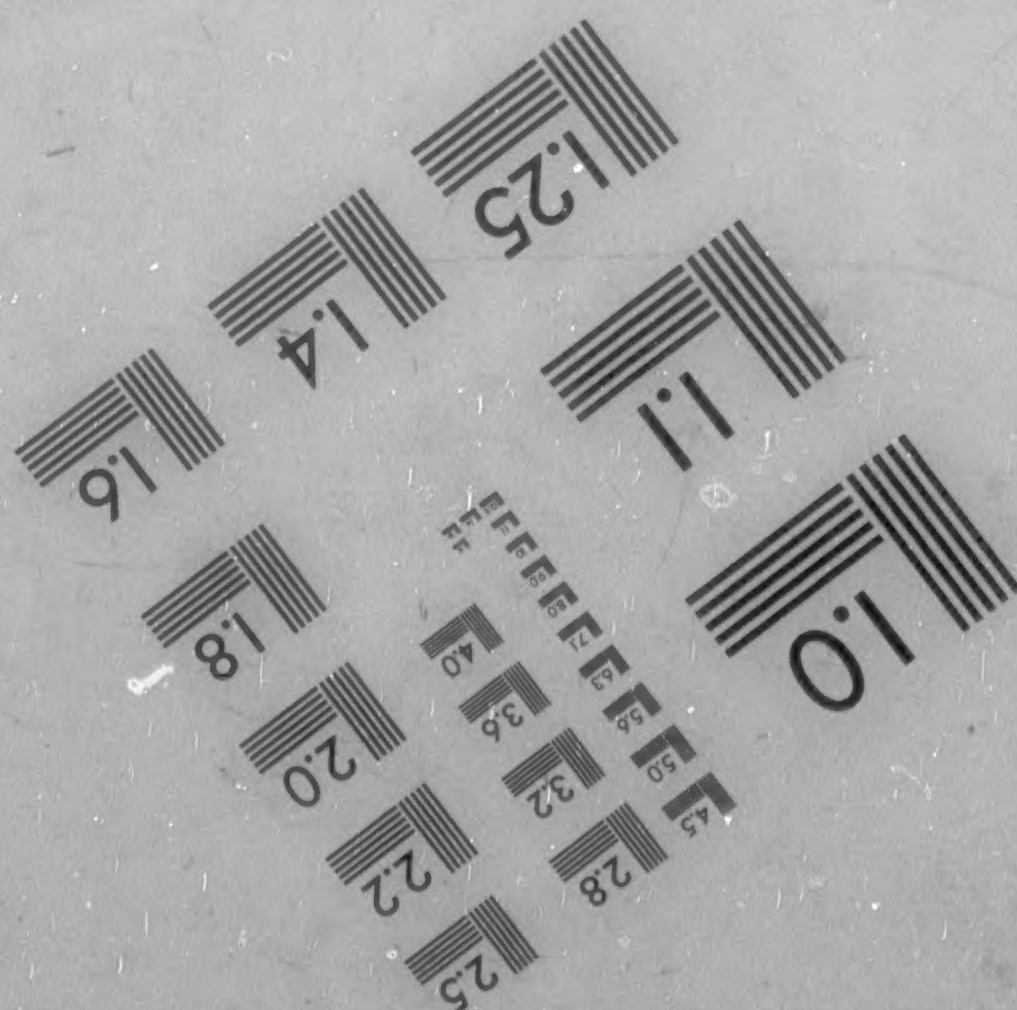
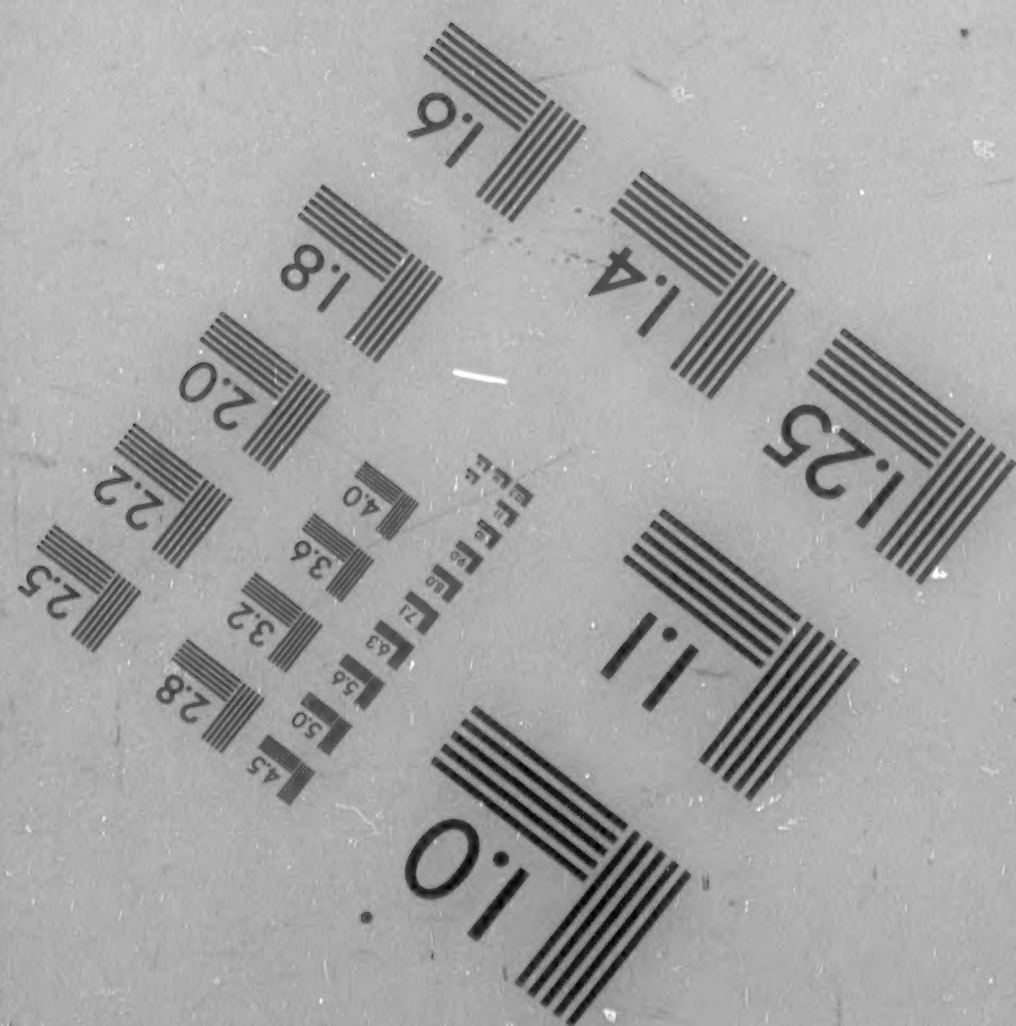
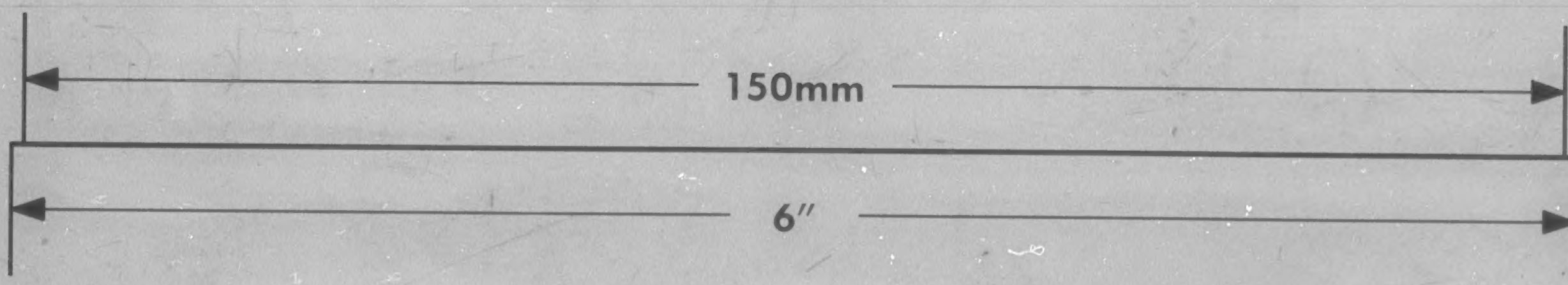
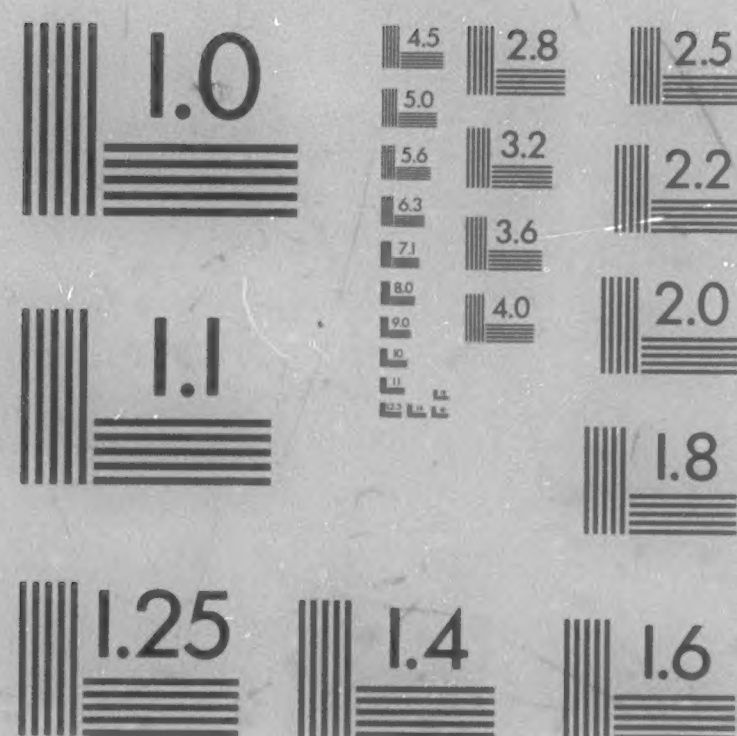
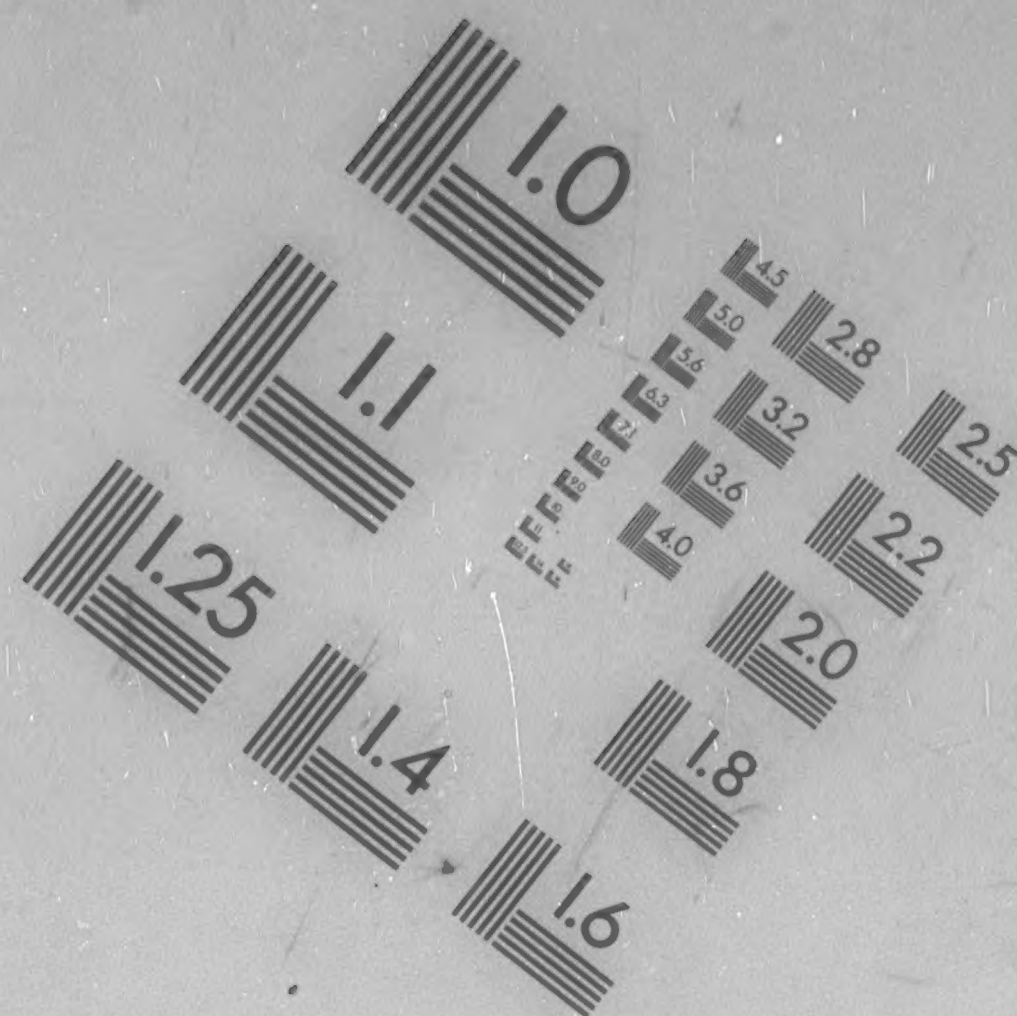
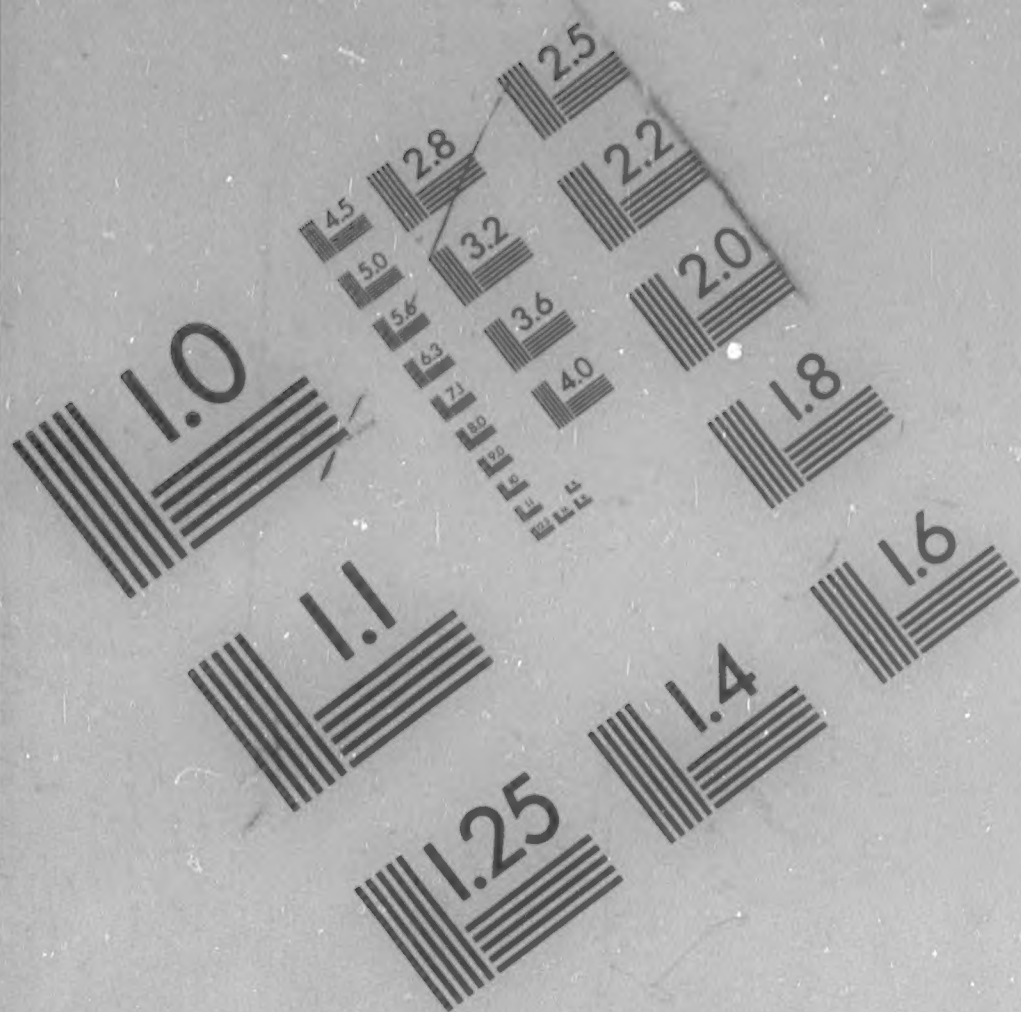
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